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The Honorable Wm. Henry Smith left San Francisco yesterday on his return for New York.

There has been a destructive inundation of Mazatlan, Mexico, causing the loss of a number of lives and heavy damage to property.

The mechanics of Vallejo have passed resolutions sympathizing with the strikers in San Francisco, and pledging to render them financial assistance, if needed.

A special from Boise, Idaho, says the Republican newspaper office was gutted and sacked last night, and an attempt was made to fire the Democratic newspaper office, the result of a bitter political fight.

A. S. Hallidie, President of the Mexican Cable Tramway Company, has terminated negotiations for the construction of cable roads in the cities of Pachuca and Guanajuato, Mexico.

EVIDENCE continues to multiply tha Cleveland is in that silver "conspiracy." This is somewhat terrible and rather awful.

AND still Henry Ward Beecher's influence is on the wane. He is no longer able to draw a crowd to his lectures in New York. It is well. Every showman's day must come to an end.

IT is a satisfaction to know that the child-seller, Mrs. Laura M. Wilson, of San Francisco, has been brought to punishment, light though it be. She has been sentenced to six months' imprisonment in the House of Correction and fined $500.

THE curious story now comes that Khartoum has not fallen, and, inferentially, that General Gordon is alive. It is a doubtful tale, coming through native sources. We are compelled to believe that the newspaper correspondents at the seat of war are the more reliable informants.

PARSONS are said to prefer yellow-legged chickens, but Turkey will answer Beecher's purpose very well. Hence he should be sent as Minister to the Sultan's dominions, argues the San Francisco Post. This is a very able suggestion on the part of our harumscarem contemporary, Col. Jackson.

OUR winter thus far has been all that could be desired. The rains have come seasonably, and have fallen gently, so the earth has been benefited by every drop that has fallen. Farmers can get along very well for a week or two longer without more rain. Then a good generous rain will give an abundant promise of one of the most prosperous seasons ever known to this section.

THE Cincinnati Enquirer, after grave deliberation, has arrived at the sage conclusion that Colonel Rossa can only get even with England by hurling himself into the imminent deadly breach in the vicinity of Khartoum. Here he can join the forces of the False Prophet and fairly revel in gore. This is a valuable suggestion, which the O'Rossa should hasten to prophet by.

REV. DR. NEWMAN, for whom the Stanford and Crocker families have decided to build a church in San Francisco, was, during his stay in Washington, one of the most popular clergymen in the city—a pulpit orator of distinction. His church, the Metropolitan, where General Grant worshiped, was always filled to overflowing. Some of the later proceedings of Mr. Newman, while acting as inspector of foreign consulates, were of a character not calculated to help his reputation.

THE experiment of negro labor upon the great ranchos near Bakersfield seems to promise the best success. The colored people that have been placed upon these lands as laborers are proving to be quiet, industrious, moral and law-abiding. They are fond of churchgoing and fond of home, and will not prove a bad element in the community. It is claimed that those brought into the State are doing better work than the Chinese, and are everyway more desirable, in field, farm and garden.

KATE FIELD'S second article on the Mormons, printed in the TIMES this morning, makes further exposures of the infamies of the damnable evil that stands as a foul blot on the good name of the Republic. This important series of articles, of which two more are to follow, will, when completed, constitute a full and clear exposition of this social monstrosity of Utah, by a keen, capable and fearless expositor, whose observations are based upon personal investigation.

WE print this morning a continuation of the graphic and highly interesting letters of Charles F. Lummis, descriptive of what he saw and experienced on his remarkable walk from Ohio to Los Angeles, which ended on the 1st of February, when he arrived in this city, after performing a journey of 3500 miles, every part of it over Foot & Walker's old-fashioned line. These letters have been devoured with lively interest, and have been warmly commended by our readers right and left. Mr. Lummis is now regularly connected with the TIMES staff.

Visitors from the City of Bayn climate.

J. H. Snyder, President of the San Diego Board of Trustees, and Capt. Sherman, also of that body, arrived in this city yesterday to inspect the Los Angeles electric light system, as it seems that our neighbor of the bay is contemplating a change. The party was immediately taken in tow by Col. Howland, of the Electric Light Company, and last evening was taken to all portions of the city. It is quite likely that gas will be discarded and electric masts placed on the elevated ground about San Diego.

Young Women Workers.

At its meeting on Saturday the Young Women's Christian Temperance Union resolved to make it a special feature of its work to seek out and help, by sympathy and social attentions, young women who are working in this city for self-support; to visit them when sick, and in general to "help them to help themselves." The society also decided to hold itself in readiness to respond to the call of the Kindergarten for assistant teachers.

New Buildings.

Messrs. Kysor & Morgan report that they have prepared plans for a fine residence for Mr. Stewart, late from Troy, New York. Mr. Stewart purchased yesterday, through Pomeroy & Mills, a lot at the corner of Twelfth and Main streets, and on this lot the building will be located. Plans are also out for a cottage for Mr. Lord on Buena Vista street to cost $2500, and for Mrs. Lockwood on the same street for $3000. Kysor & Morgan are the architects for Henderson's new block on Spring street.

GENERAL NEWS.

An Avalanche Buries a Town—Lives Lost.

THE SILVER PROBLEM IN POLITICS.

The Democratic Scramble for the Cabinet—An Indian Agent's Defalcation—News from Many Sections.

Associated Press Dispatches to The Times.

SALT LAKE, Feb. 14.—The startling news was brought here this evening that the town of Alta was nearly wiped out by an avalanche. It has been snowing for a week. The snow is twelve feet deep on a level and it is still snowing hard. Last night, soon after 8 o'clock, a tremendous volume swept down over the Emma mine works, doing no damage there except to take the smoke stack along. Then it struck the town, crushing about three-fourths of it, but fortunately many of the houses were deserted for the winter. The place is built at the foot of the converging gulches, and the slides have a fair mark. Twenty-eight persons in all were buried. Twelve were dug out alive this morning. The rest are all undoubtedly dead. The men from the City Rocks mine and the Evergreen formed a digging force to get out the bodies. Three were taken out at last accounts, amid much difficulty and in a heavy storm and severe cold. Timothy Maddon was not dead when brought out, but died soon after. The bodies of James Watson and Mrs. John Ford were also taken out quite dead. The following is a correct list of those not yet recovered: Andrew S. White, Barney Gilson, Fred. Collinson, Mattie Hickey, Charles Volk, two Chinamen, Jerry Reagan, David P. Evans, a child of Mrs. Ford, two children of Ed. Balton. A rescue party starts from here in the morning. It is probable that some of the above may be alive, as on a former occasion some were found alive after having been buried three days. The following are the losses: Tucker's hotel, $2500; Smith's brewery, $2000; Vallejo mine, $30,000; Case's house, $500; O'Reilley's store, $2000; Baldy Fritz's saloon, $500; John Strickley, $5000; Jackson Jones, $500; other buildings, $800.

THE SILVER QUESTION.

Cleveland's Tools Lobbying to Suspend Silver Coinage.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—The Chronicle's Washington special says: The gold men are trying to break the effect of the letter of the silver men to Cleveland, suggesting to him that he suspend his judgment on the silver question till he has had time to thoroughly examine into it. They will make an effort next week to pass the bill suspending the coinage of the silver dollar, with the hope that they can show greater strength than the silver men, even if they cannot pass their bill. Chairman Barnum, of the National Democratic Committee, was on the floor of the House all day, lobbying in favor of the suspension of silver coinage.

He was very mysterious about it, and without saying so directly, intimated that he was voicing the sentiments of Cleveland on the subject. In view of the present condition of public business, there is no doubt that the silver men have the best position, and they have no fear that they cannot keep any anti-silver legislation from passing, unless Barnum stampedes some Democratic silver men by his claimed authority from Cleveland. There are more Democrats now who are willing to vote to accommodate Cleveland than there will be in six months.

A SUGGESTION TO CLEVELAND.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Representative Reagan will on Monday send to President-elect Cleveland a petition signed by about one hundred Democratic members of the House, asking him not to commit himself on the silver question in his inaugural address.

A NEWSPAPER WAIL.

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—The Times is editorially exercised over the inequality of the representation between the silver States and the Empire State. It says: "With a population of only 256,593 Colorado and Nevada possesses one-nineteenth of the voting power of the Senate, while New York, with a population of 5,082,871, has a voting power of only one-thirty-eighth. If representation in the Senate were apportioned according to population Colorado and Nevada together would have about one-third of one vote and New York eight votes. As it is, in voting upon the silver bill or any other bill, the two silver States have as much power in the Senate as the States of New York and Pennsylvania with a population of about ten millions. So far as Nevada is concerned, the vote of the silver miner equals the vote of 5,000,000 people in the Empire State. The inequality is almost as great in the Presidential election. Nevada has one electoral vote for 20,755 people; New York one for 140,000. These figures point to defects in the system of representation which should not be forgotten when the Territories ask for admission into the Union."

CLEVELAND'S CABINET.

Thurman's Claims Being Vigorously Pressed on the President-Elect.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—The Bulletin's New York special says: The World joins the Herald and Sun and hopes and believes that Thurman will not be overlooked by Cleveland in forming his cabinet. It says: "There is a general and natural anxiety to know what part will be assigned to Thurman on the restoration of the Democracy to power, an event which his own statesmanship, fearlessness and honesty have helped to make possible. This anxiety is intensified by public sensitiveness on the subject of the growing power of certain corrupt corporations. Cleveland is a just man. He will, we are confident, do full justice to Allen G. Thurman who has the admiration of the whole Democracy.

A PLEA FOR M'DONALD.

ALBANY, Feb. 14.—Cleveland to-day received United States Senator Voorhees, of Indiana, and Representative Cobb, of the same State, who urged the claims of ex-Senator McDonald, of Indiana, for a place in the Cabinet. They represented that Mr. McDonald was made an earnest and spontaneous one that had taken hold of a large element of the Democratic party all over the country, which must in some way be satisfied. Gossip here runs entirely on the subject of Manning for Secretary of the Treasury.

GENERAL WASHINGTON NEWS.

Another Plan for Carrying Foreign Mails.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Senator Frye to-day introduced the following amendment to the Postoffice Appropriation bill, and asked its reference to the Committee on Postoffices and Post Roads: "For transporting the mails between the United States and any foreign port, or between ports on the Atlantic and ports on the Pacific, through any foreign territory, an amount not exceeding $600,000 shall be appropriated from the net revenues of the United States Postoffice Department on mail matter sent to foreign countries during the fiscal year of 1885, and for the expenditure thereof the Postmaster-General shall contract for said service, after legal advertisement, with the lowest responsible bidder, providing the rate thereof shall not exceed fifty cents a mile, one trip each way, actually traveled between the terminal points, and that mails so contracted for shall be carried on American steamships."

Bay District Races.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—There were two races at the Bay District. The first was a trot, which Alamont won, taking the fourth, fifth and sixth heats in 2:31, 2:30½ and 2:31½; Ed taking the first, Moscow the second, and Night Time the third heat, the time being 2:29½, 2:29½ and 2:33¼. The second race was won by Blaine, Cleveland winning the first mile in 2:32¾ and Blaine taking the three successive heats in 2:31½, 2:31½ and 2:36. There was also a half-mile dash that was won by Lottie L. from Frank in 51 seconds. The weather was fine and the attendance good. A great deal of money changed hands on the result of the first race.

Not Greedy for Celestials.

VICTORIA, B. C., Feb. 14.—The anti-Chinese bill before the House imposes a head tax of $50, with the alternative of six months hard labor upon Chinese who may enter the province. Any person bringing or assisting to bring Chinese into the province will be fined $200 for each Chinese, with the alternative of being six months in the chain-gang.

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Assistance for County Officers.

In our Sacramento correspondence is an interesting and timely paragraph concerning Mr. Hazard's bill authorizing the Board of Supervisors to provide and employ assistance for county officers in certain cases where, in their judgment, the public interest demands it. The reasons for the enactment of the proposed law are set out in the resolution unanimously adopted by our Board of Supervisors, and in the letter of Stephen M. White, which we copy from the Los Angeles Herald of Friday last. It is maintained that the relief sought is required for the proper discharge of the public business in certain cases, inasmuch as the business of some of our county offices has grown to proportions which are clearly beyond the capacity of these offices to discharge with their present force; and, as there can be no increase of salaries during their present terms, the incumbents must neglect the business of their respective offices or run them at a personal loss, or for inadequate compensation. These are, briefly, the reasons advanced in support of the bill. They would seem to be sufficient; but, as the power sought is susceptible of abuse, it should be granted only after thorough and careful investigation into all the facts, and then with restrictions and limitations which will effectually prevent any undue increase of assistants and expense. There must be no sinecures provided for hungry hangers-on about the Court-house. It is quite possible that a complaisant or extravagant Board of Supervisors might be led into authorizing needless expenses too burdensome to be borne. Therefore the need of careful restrictions and limitations in the law asked. These provided, we are in favor of the bill, because no officer should be asked to serve the public without fair compensation, and the public business should not be permitted to suffer. It is sometimes as necessary, and it ought to be as proper, to increase the capacity of public offices for the proper discharge of the business imposed upon them, as it is for a merchant or manufacturer to increase the capacity of his establishment to meet growing demands upon it. The essential thing in both cases is to make the increase with due care and not beyond the actual necessities of the situation for the time being. When the urgency shall have passed, the temporary force should be promptly reduced.

THE Government is getting its grip at last on the doughty polygamists of Utah, and a wholesome respect for Federal authority, it is to be hoped, will be engendered among those who have so long defied, not only the authority of the Government, but who have outraged every sense of decency and morality of the civilized world. There is no vacillation on the part of the Gentile business men of Salt Lake City as regards the course taken by the authorities in the prosecution of the polygamous saints, and the demand of the Mormons which calls on the officials "to stop the prosecutions for polygamy until the United States Supreme Court could pass on the appeals that have been made, "in the interest of trade, is rebuked in the right spirit by the prominent business men of the city. "Never mind the business; enforce the law. Business reasons are no reasons at all why the law should not be enforced," is the utterance of the men of business.

This is the first cry for quarter on the part of the priesthood of Mormonism. Let the Government stick to its new policy of dealing with these offenders, stand firmly on its legs, and call a halt from priest and people, that they will understand means business if it is not respected.

THE bill which has passed the Assembly providing for the establishment of a home for feeble-minded children is a wise measure. As civilization advances much is done to ameliorate the condition of those unfortunates. It has been found that by a wise and judicious course of training much can be accomplished in the way of their mental development. Many children who have entered such institutions in an almost imbecile condition, have through the course of treatment and instruction pursued turned out fairly intelligent, and capable of discharging the simple and ordinary duties of life instead of being a burden and care to others. As stated by our dispatches, $25,000 is the appropriation named for the purchase of the site for such an institution. It is an institution that no State should be satisfied to do without.

GENERAL WOLSELEY, at the head of the main British force in the Soudan, appears to be still lying at Korti, notwithstanding the report of a day or two ago that he had moved forward towards Khartoum. Korti is some 150 to 200 miles from Gubat and Metemneh, in the vicinity of which latter place lies Stewart's army, now commanded by General Brockenbury. Thus, while one of his detached commanders has been cut off and he and his garrison massacred, and the others in great peril, Wolseley lies idle, awaiting orders from his government. With such tactics the prospect of an early and decisive conclusion to the campaign is far from brilliant. It is evident that it will be months before the detached British columns can be concentrated for a united blow at the main army of the Mahdi, which will meantime have become materially strengthened by accessions from yet other native tribes, which, one after another, are falling into line as followers of the new prophet of Islam who has risen up to lead them.

THE Commissioners of the District of Columbia want an appropriation from Congress of $10,000 for the purpose of maintaining public order during the ceremonies of the inauguration. The assumed necessity for this appropriation speaks volumes for the character of the Democratic crowd—the party of "reform"—who will congregate there at that time. Instead of granting this appropriation, clap a lock on the front and back doors of the saloons and groggeries, and it will be like a wet blanket for the army of patriot Democrats, and the peace and safety of the community will be measurably assured, perhaps, without the extraordinary and unusual expenditure contemplated. The vaults of the Treasury, however, demand the first attention of the authorities. A twenty-five-year-old Democratic hunger is a terrible enemy for Uncle Sam to confront.

THE journal whose chief ambition is to say mean, malicious, spiteful and false things about cotemporaries of which it is insanely jealous, hoping that by contrast it can show its own character to advantage, will find the practice unprofitable. It will make neither money nor reputation by such tactics. Besides, "pure cussedness," when projected too freely from the editorial gall-bag, sometimes turns out to be a terrible boomerang. These perpendicularly accurate observations are addressed to the local journal to which they apply.

IT is an encouraging sign to see the resumption of work in so many of the large manufactories of the east. The cry of hard times seems hardly to be well grounded in the actual condition of capital, yet a great many things have conspired to weaken the confidence of capitalists and make business men cautious. Yet, beyond question, money is plenty in the country, and there is an abundance of everything for the needs of all classes. But the cry of hard times once taken up finds people enough who are ready to echo it without waiting to see if the fact itself can be established.

THE meanest and cheapest sort of newspaper warfare is that which consists in a rival going about and hunting up some person with an imaginary grievance and then airing it for him, not because of love for the person with the grievance, but merely for the sake of "making a point" on a contemporary. This applies to the Evening Express.

THE evening paper has something flippant to say about the way the TIMES is edited. The evening sheet appears to be edited with a disappointment and draws its editorial sustenance from a gall-bag.

THE SAUNTERER.

It is very difficult for those not at home in our climate to realize that it is February. I met a Boston lady the other day. She loves Boston, but still she grew eloquent over the delights of our Los Angeles winter. "I am glad that I only have to read of that Eastern winter," she said. That ought to be enough for anybody. Papers from the East bring almost a touch of frostiness with their report of the thermometer twenty-five, thirty and forty degrees below zero, snowdrifts fifteen feet deep, and all the discomforts of "the cold wave" freezing up creation generally. We do not want any of that in the g. c. of C., and we do not get it, either. We are on good terms with the sun, and he keeps up a perpetual smiling that makes frost, ice, cold and snow seem like dim far-away myths of some other zone.

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I am glad that Los Angeles has a minister whose heart goes out to the needs of little children. Dropping into the Congregational church any Sabbath morning you can hear its pastor, Rev. A. J. Wells, address the children of his congregation before his sermon to adults begins. This gives the children something to go to church for. They have a part in its services. The minister is interested in them, and don't you suppose they appreciate it? If you don't, just look at them when he begins to speak. Even the little dots no higher than your knee straighten up and look at him when he begins his talk to them. They are wide-awake. Every eye is twinkling; every ear is listening, and so, one by one, the seeds of truth are sown in their hearts, perhaps by means of a pleasant story, or a little verse, and the children gather them in and treasure them up, "because the minister meant them for us," they say.

"Cast thy bread upon the waters, faithful pastor, and it shall return to thee after many days."

Train rightly the children of this generation and in the future we shall have men and women with whom the best interests of this community may be safely trusted.

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I saw a frightful volcano the other day—but it was a human one, and it was belching forth such a volume of filth and profanity as made me blush for humanity. The noble "man" was angry at a mule, and was beating, kicking and scolding it in one breath; but I wouldn't insult the mule by saying that the man's talk and conduct was beastly. It was *mannish* from man's very lowest level. If the mule had interviewed his teamster with his hoofs he would have used an argument—probably the only one the man would have been able to appreciate—that would have convinced him of his folly. I like to see men convinced when they are in the wrong.

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The Saunterer was walking the other day with a bright and happy young girl. She was full of a keen relish of life; full of ambition and hopefulness and had built many a castle in the grand To-Be of her future. As she was telling me of some of her hopes an old gentleman passed us. He was bent and grey-headed. He walked feebly, leaning upon his staff. "It's dreadful that we have to grow old, isn't it?" she said. "Why, no I think not," I replied. I feel a good deal like the writer whom I was reading this morning, who said:

"After all it is a pleasant thing to be growing old, to feel one's self nearing the summit of the ever-ascending slopes of duty and endeavor, nearing "the table-lands of glory." It is a grand thing to be a noble old man or a noble old woman; to have lived bravely, striven honestly, loved faithfully; to feel life's fittul fever almost spent, its warfare almost over; to have the past with all its treasures of memory, love and friendship—treasures with which we would not part by the less of any years, or pains, or sorrows, and to have the future so near at hand that one is but resting for a moment upon the oars in the full glory of sunset, as the boat slowly but surely drifts into port."

"Well, that is a beautiful way to look at it," responded the young lady, "and the only right way, I suppose, but still it's lovely to think that you are young, and the world is all before you, and to be able to enjoy everything. What can that poor old man enjoy?"

"Perhaps he is just resting on his oars for a moment."

"Yes, I won't forget, my dear Saunterer, and I shall be better for the thought," she replied.

The Saunterer doesn't want to moralize in these columns, but still isn't that thought of the oars and the heaven beyond a pleasant one?

SACRAMENTO.

The Session Slipping Away and Little Work Done.

STATE OF LOS ANGELES LEGISLATION.

Statesmen in Need of a Rear Anchor—Senatorial Drag-nets—Salaries of County Officers—County Division—Notes.

[STAFF CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 13.—More than one-half the session has slipped away, and but two bills have progressed far enough to receive the Governor's signature. This state of affairs is due, perhaps, to the fact that there are a few men in both Houses who think it necessary to uncork their rhetoric either in antagonizing or favoring any and every measure that comes up. To such a point has this been carried by one or two self-appointed reformers and guardians of the public purse in the Assembly, that it is with the greatest difficulty that many members restrain their impatience long enough to listen to them, and in consequence their efforts, though, perhaps, well-meant, are, from sheer ignorance or egotism on their own part, nine times out of ten defeated. Indeed, one disgusted member called for the enforcement of the rules to-day, and denominated the members referred to as "jumping-jacks." A story told of the great commoner, Thad. Stevens, could be read with profit by some of these gentlemen, and the application would have great weight in adding to their influence. When Congressman Grinnell first made his appearance in the Congressional arena he was desirous of quickly making a reputation as a debater and proceeded to act on the plan of some of the members of the present Legislature by yelling "Mr. Speaker" on any and every occasion. He soon noticed that the Speaker either intentionally ignored him, or that his remarks made no impression on his fellow members, and occupying a seat near old Thad, he applied to him for advice as to how he was going to recover the ground already lost and make a good impression in the future. The reply of the veteran Congressman was characteristic. Said he: "Grinnell, before you can expect to have any weight in this body you have got to learn how to enchor your seat."

All day Wednesday the time of the Assembly was taken up in discussing and amending Assembly bill 88, relative to the fees of sheriffs and other county officers. An amendment was proposed by McJunkin abolishing the fee system entirely, but this was voted down. As it is, the bill as adopted makes some radical changes in the fee system.

THE SLICKENS BILL.

The bill known as the "Slickens" bill came up in the Assembly on its second reading to-day, and as it appropriates over $250,000 to pay all claims for work done and material furnished under the "drainage" act, it was to be expected that its consideration would develope opposition. A similar bill was passed by the Legislature of 1883, it will be remembered, and was declared unconstitutional by the Supreme Court, but this fact did not deter the promoters of the scheme from carrying through their pet measure. Speaker Parks called Jordan of Alameda to the chair, and took the floor in behalf of the measure, and successfully combatted the fierce onslaughts made by its opponents. As he is very politic and cool-headed, his arguments won votes for the bill that no other man could have secured, because the principal speakers against its passage frequently lost their equilibrium, and were "gently but kindly" led by the Speaker out of their depth until what they did say of merit lost its effect by constant repetitions. The bill was passed to a third reading, and came up to-day (Friday) in its regular order. McJunkin and Corcoran made speeches in opposition to the bill, but nevertheless it was passed by a vote of 41 to 35. The Los Angeles delegation voted solidly against it. When Speaker Parks's name was called McJunkin objected to his voting, claiming that he was interested in the bill, but the Speaker explained that nearly all the claims had been assigned, and that he did not have ten cents worth of interest in any claim affected by the bill. Therefore McJunkin's objection was overruled.

SENATORIAL DRAG-NETS.

Wednesday in the Senate was a day of surprises. In the morning Senator Wallis started the ball rolling by presenting a resolution calling for a special committee of five to investigate all defalcations and embezzlements in the State Treasurer's office. It is said that the resolution was offered specially to bring the January defalcations before the Senate, but there is no telling what the Senatorial drag-net may unearth. Again, in the afternoon the same Senator introduced a resolution to investigate the office of Secretary of State. This resolution precipitated considerable debate, Reddy, Spencer of Napa and others charging that by its wording the resolution reflected upon Comptroller Dunn, and virtually charged him with dereliction of duty in not having already ordered an investigation. Finally, the objectionable words were stricken out and the resolution was passed. The same resolution was introduced in the Assembly Wednesday, but its consideration was indefinitely postponed.

SALARIES OF COUNTY OFFICERS.

As it is evident that the Democratic paper in Los Angeles is endeavoring to make political capital out of the fact that Mr. Hazard has introduced and had passed a bill empowering the Board of Supervisors to grant relief to certain county officers, it would be well to state that this measure was introduced at the suggestion and received the sanction of the Board of Supervisors, as the following resolution will show:

Resolved, That our Senator and Representatives in the Legislature are hereby requested to procure, if possible, the passage by the present Legislature of an act in substance comporting with that this day presented to this Board for consideration, and that a certified copy of this resolution be attached to said proposed act and forwarded to said Senator and Representatives.

This resolution was adopted in open session by the Board of Supervisors on the 6th day of January of the present year, and received the unanimous vote of the Board, Republicans and Democrats, and it was owing to this resolution and a letter of Stephen M. White indorsing the measure, that the bill was introduced. Since then the question of raising the salaries of all county officers has arisen, and as stated before, the salaries of the Auditor and Tax Collector have been raised from $1800 to $3000 per year; but it must be understood that this does not affect the salaries of the present incumbents, as the Constitution expressly provides that the salaries of county officers shall not be increased during their terms of office.

Now it is suggested by the present officers, Messrs. Dunsmoor, Hammond, Miles, Bilderrain, and Gard, that the salaries of Los Angeles county should be increased to the same as those of counties of the second class. Alameda at present is the only county of that class, and the salaries paid the officers of that county are as follows:

County Clerk, $13,000; Sheriff, $15,000; Recorder, $15,000; Treasurer, $4500; Tax Collector, $8000; Assessor, $14,000; District Attorney, $6500; Supervisors, $1000 per annum. These gentlemen suggest that the salary of County Clerk be increased from $9600 to $15,000; that the Tax Collector's be increased to $4000, and that of the Auditor be increased to $3000. As the population of Los Angeles would put it in the second class were a special census taken, and as the work has naturally increased since the adoption of the present salary bill, this suggestion bears on its face the stamp of fairness. In support of the proposed increase it is stated that there have been as many, if not more, transfers of real estate in Los Angeles in the two years just past as in the counties of San Francisco and Alameda together. This, of course, entailed a large amount of extra work on the Recorder, but I doubt if this statement will suffice as a sufficient reason to increase the salaries to the figures named. As I understand it, none of the members care to take the responsibility of such an increase, and hence, if the salaries are to be increased generally, it will only be done after due deliberation and receiving suggestions from those in a position to know the wants of the respective offices.

In fact, Hazard has telegraphed the present officers and several ex-officers, and also H. A. Barclay and S. M. White, asking that they wire him what in their judgment would be adequate salaries for the offices in question. Until these gentlemen are heard from he proposes to have his bill held back. It is now before the committee of which Senator Johnson of Sonoma is chairman.

NOTES.

In regard to the statement of Major Russell that the TIMES correspondent must have been misled in the matter of his petition, I will say that the letter written by him to Assemblyman Hazard was presented to the Governor in the form of a petition, and that the request contained in the letter was treated just as described in the TIMES.

Some people think that letters are inanimate things, but your correspondent has learned differently since arriving in Sacramento. For instance, a letter postmarked Los Angeles, January 25, was received at Sacramento February 10. An inquiry into the matter elicited the reply that perhaps the letter had *walked* up.

It seems strange that in such an institution as the State Library of California there should not be a printed catalogue of the books therein contained. Yet such is the fact, and one in search of a book has to depend on the memory of one of the attendants as to whether the Library contains the volume sought or not.

At a joint meeting of the Senate and Assembly Committees on Judiciary last evening for the purpose of considering the bill for the appointment of five Commissioners of the Supreme Court to relieve the court from the overburdened condition of its calendar, Assembly bill 472, introduced by Hazard, was recommended for adoption by the committee. The bill, however, was amended; making the Commission consist of three persons and the term of office four years.

E. L. Watkins, of San Gabriel, and T. K. Lukins, of Pasadena, have been appointed notaries public by Governor Stoneman.

It is quite likely that the name of Mr. John R. Matthews, of Los Angeles, will be sent to the Senate by Governor Stoneman in a few days, as Brigadier-General, in place of E. E. Hewitt, withdrawn.

The Senate has been occupied for the past two days in debating the bill establishing a home for the adult blind. The bill has already passed the House, but the opponents of the measure in the Senate desire to have a commission appointed to examine into the necessity for the establishment of such an institution.

The county division bill may be reached to-morrow if the Assembly does not adjourn over till Monday. It will quite likely be buried out of sight for the balance of the session.

The Orange county bill will meet the same fate, if it ever gets out of the hands of the committee.

Truth's Twilight and n.

In the old days when gods filled all the skies
And peopled all the heights that to the sun,
In their proud solitary majesty arise,
Where daylight's last rays linger when the day is done,
When Neptune ruled the seas, and Phœbus stole
His father's burning chariot from the sun,
And drove his fiery steeds with slackened rein;
When proud Jove hundered, and Vulcan's mighty stroke
Smote the still air until it shuddering woke
From silence; and bloody Mars marshaled his train
For awful wars, and men walked blind,
Smitten by angry gods and heipless in their snare,
Tortured by doubt and by unspoken dread,
Lifting dumb hands to gods they know not where
To find, but who somewhere in infinite deeps o'erhead
Held god-like state, and mighty revels kept,
Life was scarce worth the living—'twas the twilight time
Of truth—man's faith, his spirit-nature slept.

Yet then were intellectual giants,
Homer sang in strains that bade defiance
In their grand deathlessness to latest time,
And Virgil, in his strains not less sublime,
Sang for the ages; Socrates, the king
Of ancient wisdom, uttered thoughts that ring
Through the To-day of men; he almost laid
Hold of Faith's white mantle; men eager stayed
Hungry for something that he could not give
For some grand hope that would undying live.
They read of Hades and Tartarus dark,
Of awful Pluto, and of him whose bark—
The silent boatman—bore men's helpless souls
Down the dark current which Death's river rolls;
Of Cerberus, that hundred-headed monster who
Guards the gate of Hades, and from whom
They know
Of no escape; of the dread Furies there
In Pluto's realm, whose cup of dark despair
And awful torment men must ever drain,
While torn and maddened by their deathless pain.

What wonder then that mid these pangful fears
Men longed for visions, longed for gods to speak
And chase away the doubts of doubting years;
What wonder that they held thrt prayers were weak,
Since to them from the god-filled deep
Of skies no answer came—the tortured air
Rent by their cries of yearning and despair
Gave naught but voiceless silence, and their hearts
Fed on themselves, and gnawed till hope was dead,
And Doubt consumed them, and their dumb gods fled
Among the innumerable stars so far,
So pitiless, men turned at length to Fate—
That awful Thing—relentless, cruel, blind, unconquerable.

Then came the dawn! far in the East it broke,
Among Judæa hills its splendor stirred,
When God from star-lit skies to shepherds spoke,
And "peace on earth, good will to men" was heard.
No more the darkness of the soulless Doubt,
No more the gods of mythologic story!
Ring the old age of heavy nature 'out,
Ring in the new of Revelation's glory!

ELIZA A. OTIS.

Los Angeles, Feb. 13, 1885.

NOTE AND COMMENT.

Between dynamite and the derringer, New York is having a pretty lively time.

Mrs. Dudley, the Pittsburgh Chronicle thinks, will be charged with Y-sault and battery.

Jeff Davis, says a Washington correspondent, will probably visit the National Capital next winter.

Mrs. Dudley professes to be something of a nurse herself. Rossa hasn't probably thought of calling her in.

If the London police have found a clue, an exchange suggests that it be placed in the British Museum.

When a statesman travels and does not expect any popular demonstration along the road, he is very careful to have it given out that he desires to travel quietly.

The Chicago News suggests that if Ryan and Sullivan are anxious to meet again, it would be well to arrange matters so that they could meet every morning on the stone-pile at Sing Sing.

SHORT BUT SWEET.

A charming spot—the jewelry store.

Gas at $3.75 per thousand is an expensive lux-ury.

A gold pen—a pension; a steal pen—the penitentiary.

A fence is a handy thing to have around the house.

The most popular hack-driver in the city is a cough-drop.

A lawyer's mouth is the most expensive gas-fixture known.

Whisky is the smartest scholar in the class—it always goes to the head.

For the first time in its history the country will have a President who wears a No. 19 collar. That's bully.

Harper's "Journal of Civilization" has recovered its temper. For a long time it threatened to become a mere hot box.

"Say, there's something in the wind," said a citizen mysteriously to Mr. Matteroffact. "Yes, I see," said Matteroffact, "dust."

"How have the mighty fallen?" Well, in the absence of full particulars, we presume it was on a banana peel or orange skin.

Two-thirds of the snakes in Australia are venomous.—[Exchange.

Two-thirds of the snakes in this country are lies.

If matches are really made in heaven, as the proverb asserts, it would seem that the other place hadn't a monopoly on brimstone.

Dr. Dio Lewis says that tomatoes are a medicine, and should be taken only when prescribed by a physician. This is fees-ible enough for the Oatmeal Doctor—he likes to prescribe and get paid for everything one eats. But who cares to die o' Lewis?

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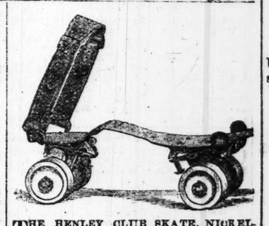

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6,000 pairs of Gloves	From 5 cents to $1 a pair
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and muddy tracks in the dining-room, and expect to see the women folk good natured.

8. To have a lot of half-fed, emaciated, lonesome looking fowls roosting dejectedly in some old tree, when a few good, healthy chickens, properly housed, would make the poultry yard an honor instead of a disgrace.

Ammonia as a Fertilizer.

A writer in the London Gardener's Chronicle says: Last year I was induced to try an experiment in chrysanthemum growing, and for this purpose purchased one pound of sulphate of ammonia, which I bottled and corked, as the ammonia evaporates very rapidly. I then selected four plants from my collection, putting them by themselves, gave them a teaspoonful of ammonia in a gallon of water twice a week. In a fortnight's time the result was most striking; for though I watered the others with cow liquid manure they looked lean when compared with the ammonia-watered plants, whose leaves turned to a very dark green which they carried to the edge of the pots until the flowers were cut. As a matter of course the flowers were splendid. The ammonia used is rather expensive, as I bought it from the chemist's shop; this year I intend getting agricultural ammonia, which is much cheaper. I have also tried it on strawberries, with the same satisfactory result, the crop being nearly double that of the others; it is very powerful, and requires to be used with caution.

Sheep Farming.

A correspondent of the Rural New Yorker says: Sheep will thrive in pastures and get fat where cattle would almost starve. They also scatter their droppings over the field, and never fail to enrich land where they are kept. On poor farms they are most emphatically the best factors for increasing fertility. On rich land the same rule holds good, as they will make them richer. By the simple means of a portable shed, which can be moved about the field and under which the sheep readily congregate, the poorest spot may be made fertile; and the whole field, by frequent and regular changes of the flock, may be thoroughly enriched. This is a well-known characteristic of the sheep, and by such management as mentioned above, the thinnest farm may be readily enriched and made fertile.

One of our exchanges says to bed hogs liberally with straw. We are inclined to think that editor never raised swine. Hogs in herds should not be bedded with straw. Isolated hogs may have a small amount of litter. If hogs in droves have litter they will become overheated; the cold air when they enter it will chill them, and in the end a seriously diseased condition of the body will be produced. The only fit litter for swine in droves is dry earth with a slight admixture of sawdust; this will absorb all the urine and not overheat the hogs. The bed should be changed at least once a week.

Remedy for Peach Trees.

At a recent farmers' meeting in Massachusetts, a noted peach-grower claimed that the peach tree, being a grass-feeder, was more often starved to death than injured by the yellows. The orchard owned by him is treated each year to 500 pounds of potash salts per acre, and no tree has ever had the yellows. The sense of the meeting was that muriate of potash was the best remedy, by supplying potash and ash; those present believing that the disease never appeared in an orchard liberally supplied with this chemical.

The Linnets.

Santa Ana Standard.]

The linnets are coming, and now is the time to destroy them if you wish to have a crop of apricots. Dr. Cole informs us that this week he noticed them gathering buds by the thousand. He immediately secured some strychnine, split open an apple, spread the fine poison over the cut surface and fastened a couple of the pieces in the top of an apricot tree. In a few hours he found twenty-five dead linnets under the tree and the apple hardly touched. Fruit raisers, if you want to save your apricots, go to work at once, all together, and with fifty cents' worth of strychnine to every orchard the little pest can be exterminated in a very short time. They have just begun to eat the buds since the last frost.

Southern California.

From the icy keeps
Where nature sleeps
One-half of the year away,
We come to the land
Of the golden sand
Where Summer holds his sway;
Where the Day-God's rays
In their glory blaze,
Where the weak have naught to fear,
Where the skies above,
With looks of love,
Smile on through the live-long year!

In that land of light,
Where all is bright,
Where mountains wierd and grand
O'er the vale below
Their cool airs throw
Like the touch of a vanished hand;
Where to live is life,
Where, far from the strife,
The wearied frame may rest,
Where the surges roar
On the sounding shore,
Where man is ever blest!

'Neath the Eastern sky,
In days gone by,
We've chased the hours along,
Where the sunny isles,
With a thousand wiles,
Gird Greece, that land of song;
But even there,
'Mid scenes so rare,
And memories dear and old,
Such floods of light
Put not to flight
All dreams of winter cold!

Then hoi for the clime
Where the soft waves chime
A song of life and health,
Where nature, drest
In her brightest, best,
Is a source of joy and wealth;
Where the Day-God's rays
In their glory blaze,
Where the weak have nought to fear,
Where the skies above,
With looks of love,
Smile on through the live-long year!

STUART STANLEY.

A Wonderful Soil.

"Speakin' of productive soil," said one man from Dakota, "the half has never been told. A few weeks ago my wife said: 'Why, John, I believe you've took to growin' again.' I measured myself, and I hope Gabriel'll bless me at the final round-up if I hadn't grown six inches in two weeks. I couldn't account for it for some time, till at last I tumbled to the fact that war holes in my boots and the infernal soil got in thar an' done its work. Did you see that boy that was with me on the street this morning? He looks like he war about eighteen years old. Wal', about six months ago my wife sot our six-months-old kid down on the plowed ground to play, an' gents, I'll be doggone if—but you wouldn't believe that if I told it. Yes, it is a wonderful country, gents! I could sit here for a year relatin' actual facts, but I must rush out an' do some fixin'. I've got to buy a hatchet to shingle my barn with. I left my old hatchet out over night last week, an' in the mornin' it was as a full-grown ax. Good-bye."

Didn't Agree with Him.

"I'm aware that the commentators do not agree with me," said the Rev. Mr. Foosterer, in his sermon. Next day, old Farmer Turniptops drove up to the rectory with half a cart-load of the pink-eye potatoes. "Morni', parson," said he. "You told us yistd'y that the common taturs didn't agree with ye; so I brought ye a trifle o' the best pink-eyes ever ye laid yer own eyes on. Balls o' flour—that's what they are!"

Only a certain percentage of the population can live on speculation. The bulk of the people must be producers. Those who get tired of the evil of production try speculation, until they get hungry. Then they conclude that living on brain-work is quite fatiguing, and the deserted plow recovers its plowman.

OUR YOUNG FOLKS.

A Sketch of One of the Heroes of To-day.

GENERAL GORDON, KILLED IN KHARTOUM.

Character of the English Soldier—His Early Life—Service in China and in Egypt —The Soudan Country.

The history of heroes—those who have accomplished great and noble deeds—is always of interest. We like to read about them, and we often think we should be glad to be like them, and have our names become famous. The world has had many heroes, many whose names will be remembered as long as those of Cyrus, and Alexander, or Martin Luther or Joan of Arc. There are a few names in the history of mankind that never will be forgotten. Do you suppose the time will ever come when no one will know of Shakspeare, or Milton, of Martin Luther, the great leader of the Reformation, or of our own Washington, or Abraham Lincoln? You may be sure it will not. Their names will grow brighter as the world grows older, and the words that they have written and the deeds that they have done will live forever

But I want to tell my boys and girls to-day something about a man that all the civilized world is interested in just now, a brave English General whom I presume you have often read about, and who is sometimes called "Chinese Gordon," on account of his manful career in China, but who lately went with a small force to Khartoum in the heart of the great Soudan region in Africa. The Soudan, you know, embraces a very large tract of country in Africa. It lies south of the vast Sahara Desert, and upon its eastern border are the provinces of the Nile; south of it are the Kong mountains, and on its west is Senegambia. It is not, as many suppose, inhabited entirely by the woolly haired, thick-lipped negroes; but various tribes of native Africans live within its borders. In its northern part are a people called Berbers—a tribe who are comely and with good features. Here, too, some of the Bedouins from the desert live, and brown-faced Arabs, besides many other varieties of people. But some of the tribes who inhabit this almost unknown country are almost beastly in their looks and habits, and wander about naked and dirty, living all their lives without ever taking a bath, ignorant, and brutish and cruel.

It is into this strange country, and among these various tribes of peoepople that General Gordon has gone.

It would take a good many books to tell the whole story of the General's life in Africa, and it would be a story, too, full of romantic interest, such as you would enjoy reading. But General Gordon is a very modest man, and does not like to boast of the deeds he has done.

General Gordon's father and grandfather were both of them soldiers; so it is not strange that he should become one. He was educated for a soldier at the English Military Academy. He graduated from that institution in 1854, when he was twenty-four years old. This was in the time of the Crimean war, when the French and English were fighting the Russians. Gordon received a commission as a Lieutenant of Engineers, and he was sent to join the English army in front of the Russian town and fortress of Sebastopol. When this war was over he went back to England, but in 1860 he was sent to China, to take part in the war against the Chinese. Here he did splendid service, and was commissioned as a Brigadier-General. He was somewhat stern in his character, but he was very upright, and always just and kind. He never would allow his soldiers to rob or pillage the towns and villages that they had conquered, and he always treated his prisoners with the greatest kindness. He was also a very brave officer, and in nearly all the engagements in which he fought he stood at the front and cheered his troops on to victory.

Some years after the war in China had ended General Gordon went to Egypt, and in 1874 the Khedive, or Ruler of Egypt, appointed him Governor General of all the provinces of Upper Egypt. This was a great honor—for General Gordon was chosen by the Khedive because of the honesty and uprightness of his character. The Khedive had had a great deal of trouble with the men whom he had before appointed as Governors, for they had proved to be men who could be bribed, and while the Khedive was trying to stop the slave trade which the Arab slave-dealers were carrying on in Central Africa, these Governors of his allowed it to go on for the sake of the large sums of money that they received from these Arabs, who had become rich in selling slaves.

But General Gordon soon put a stop to this wicked traffic. Many a poor slave who had been stolen from his home he rescued from his inhuman masters. He was very kind to these poor ignorant negroes, and it did not take these cruel Arabs long to find that here was a man whom they could not buy with money to do wrong.

With the chiefs of the stronger African tribes General Gordon had a good deal of difficulty. There is nearly all of the time war between the different tribes of this region. In trying to put a stop to this, General Gordon had a good deal of fighting to do. Sometimes he was in great danger with his small number of soldiers, for the stronger and more powerful chiefs gave him a great deal of trouble. He was very much annoyed, too, by the Governor-General of the Soudan, for he was not willing to help General Gordon in putting a stop to the slave trade. So in 1877 General Gordon, finding that something must be done in the matter, went to Caire to see the Khedive, and informed him of the conduct of the Governor-General of Soudan. When the Khedive learned of the conduct of the Governor of Soudan he removed him and made General Gordon Governor, in his place, of that great territory, as well as of the other provinces over which he had before been appointed. He also made him his ambassador to Abyssinia, to settle some trouble between two powerful chiefs who lived in that country. General Gordon accomplished this mission most successfully. Then he went to Soudan to look after the slave-traders who were determined to keep up their business in selling slaves just as long as possible. They had a good many soldiers to help them, and they were a determined set of men; but General Gordon's course with them was so wise, yet so bold and fearless, that they finally were afraid to rebel against his authority. It was a hard and weary life that this brave General led here. He had no well-disciplined army, no well-trained regiments that he could depend upon—most of his soldiers were natives, used to a wild life, and they were cowardly and ignorant. But General Gordon, in spite of all these obstacles, did the work that was expected of him, and was always brave and on the side of the right.

After a time he resigned his position under the Khedive, but when the present trouble in the Soudan commenced the Government felt that his help was needed again, so he went back, and pushed with his little army right into the midst of the rebel tribes.

And now the news comes by telegraph, over the great cable running under the sea, that General Gordon is dead; that he was assassinated in Khartoum. It is sad news, for he was not only a great general but a noble, large-hearted man—one always ready to help the oppressed, and the poor and the ignorant. At home, in England, he used to gather in the poor, ragged and homeless boys—the hoodlums—from the streets and feed and clothe them. He had for them, too, an evening school, and he was their teacher; and a wonderfully industrious teacher he was, too, after all his travels. A good many of those boys will grow up to be brave, true men, who, had it not been for General Gosdon's generous kindness and wise teaching would have grown up poor ignorant outcasts and criminals. There are many boys in England now in happy homes that General Gordon provided for them; many a proud sailor on a noble ship whose place was found for him by this same good and kind general; so, you see, boys and girls, that General Gordon was something more than a brave soldier—he is a good man and a hero. E. A. O.

The Fortunate Isles.

You sail and you seek the Fortunate Isles,
The old Greek isles of the yellow bird's song?
Then steer straight on through the watery miles,
Straight on, straight on, and you can't go wrong.
Nay not to the left, nay not to the right,
But on, straight on, and the Isles are in sight,
The Fortunate Isles, where the yellow birds sing,
And life lies girt with a golden ring.

These Fortunate Isles they are not so far
They lie within reach of the lowliest door;
You can see them gleam by the twilight star;
You can hear them sing by the moon's white shore.
Nay, never look back! Those leveled graves-stones
They were landing steps; they were steps unto thrones
Of glory for souls that have sailed before,
And have set white feet on the fortunate shore.

And what are the names of the Fortunate Isles?
Why, Duty, and Love and a large Content.
Lo! these are the Isles of the watery miles
That God let down from the firmament.
Lo, Duty and Love and a true man's trust;
Your forehead to God and your feet in the dust;
Lo, Duty and Love, and a sweet babe's smiles,
And these, O friend, are the Fortunate Isles.
—Joaquin Miller in the Current.

TEMPERANCE.

The Children of Alcoholic Drinkers.

Dr. Martin, of the Saltpetriere Hospital, Paris, has made a series of observations, stretching over a period of years, on nervous affection among the children of alcoholic drinkers. In 83 families, where one or more members howed nervous excitability, traceable to alcoholic origin, there were 410 children. Of these, 108, more than a quarter, had convulsions; and in the year 1874, 169 were dead, 241 were sill alive, but 84, more than one-third of the survivors, were epileptic.

Again, alcoholism is very apt to develop itself at a very early age among the children of alcoholic drinkers. The existence of this evil is not sufficiently recognized by medical men. Dr. Thomas More Madden has met with several cases of acute and chronic alcoholism in children of less than eight years of age. In most cases of juvenile alcoholism, the trouble seems to be inherited, more especially when the mother is an inebriate. Intemperance in women becomes, therefore, a subject of extreme importance. Oftentimes it results from the too general custom of administering stimulants for the relief of dysmenorrhal pain. In such cases "this unkind nephenthe" is frequently employed in gradually increasing doses, until the victim of dysmenorrhœa becomes an habitual inebriate.

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Philadelphia Ledger; The Indians are savages, of course, and civilization of a high grade is to be found in Washington, but Indian Commissioner Price assert that there is more drunkenness and crime among the 200,000 inhabitants of the capital than among the 250,000 unsophisticated red men.

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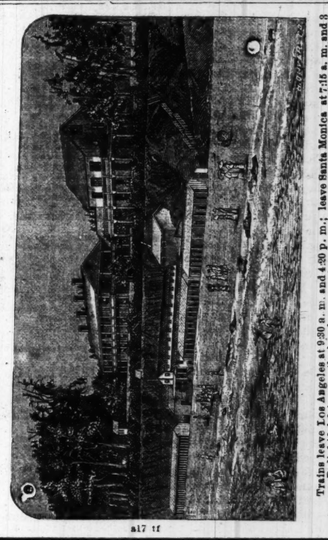

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MORMONISM.

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The "Revelation" that was Given to Joseph Smith—The Doctrine of Plural Marriages Explained—Peculiar "Mercy to the People."

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II.

Mr. Barclay understands that polygamy was not practiced until the settlement of Utah. The "revelation" was given to Joseph Smith, according to Mormon history, in Nauvoo, Ill., on July 12, 1843, about a year before the Prophet's death, and was practically carried out by such as could be trusted with the secret. I have met several women who declare that they were sealed to Joseph Smith during his lifetime, and I have had pointed out to me men born in Nauvoo of polygamous parents. "Soon after my arrival in the city of Nauvoo," writes Apostle Lorenzo Snow, "a private interview was accorded me by President Joseph Smith, in which he explained the doctrine of plural marriages—said it was made known to him by a revelation from God, by whom he had been commanded to introduce the sacred order by taking more wives. At the same time he informed me that my sister, Eliza R. Snow, had been sealed to him in this relationship by the authority of that priesthood which is recognized in heaven." All this, however, did not prevent a flat denial of the practice of polygamy by John Taylor, Eliza R. Snow and other leading men and women one year before the revelation was made semi-public. Joseph Smith, who is good authority on this point, writes that "on the 6th of April, 1830, the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints was first organized in the town of Manchester, Ontario county, State of New York." This Church began with six members, and now has probably 200,000—150,000 of whom are in Utah and the adjoining Territories. What religion there is in it is founded upon animalism. Many a Mormon in my presence has spoken contemptuously of Christian sects, for the reason that they worship a God "without body, parts and passions." According to Joseph Smith, "the Father has a body of flesh and bones as tangible as man's; the Son also; but the Holy Ghost has not a body of flesh and bones, but is a personage of spirit. Were it not so, the Holy Ghost could not dwell in us. A man may receive the Holy Ghost, and it may descend upon him and not tarry with him."

The Mormon theory of creation was clearly expounded by Brigham Young in 1857, when, on the stand of the Tabernacle, he said:

"Things were first created spiritually; the Father actually begat the spirits, and they were brought forth and lived with him. Then he commenced the work of creating earthly tabernacles, precisely as he had been created in the flesh himself, by partaking of the coarse material that was organized and composed this earth, until his system was charged with it; consequently the tabernacles of his children were organized from the coarse materials of this earth.

"When the time came that his first-born, the Saviour, should come into this world and take a tabernacle, the Father came himself and favored that spirit with a tabernacle, *instead of letting any other man do it.* The Saviour was begotten by the Father of his spirit, by the same Being who is the Father of our spirits, and that is all the organic difference between Jesus Christ and you and me. And any difference there is between our Father and us consists in that He has gained His exaltation, and has obtained eternal lives. The principles of eternal lives is an eternal existence, eternal duration, eternal exaltation. Endless are His kingdoms; endless His thrones and His dominions, and endless are His posterity; they never will cease to multiply from this time henceforth and forever."

All good Mormon men will sooner or later become gods, having dominion over principalities, *provided* "they live their religion," or, in other words, practice polygamy.

"Do you suppose," said Heber C. Kimball, in the Tabernacle on the 8th of February, 1857, "that Joseph and Hyram (Smith) and all those good men would associate with those ancient worthies if they had not been engaged in the same practices? They had to do the works of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob in order to be admitted where they were." Isaac was a polygamist, but the Mormons seem wilfully ignorant of this fact. Indeed son of Abraham is always known in those who practised polygamy. *They had to be polygamists in order to be received into their society.* I tell you that I am not ashamed of the men now, and how much more will I prize my associate polygamists when I am further advanced in life. I do not know. I am in earnest and from the experience I have had."

"How long do you think I will take a little man like me, though I feel perfectly able to thrash any six common wicked men, if I am faithful in keeping the commandments of God, * * * to get into the celestial kingdom of God with my whole posterity, in case there should be no obstruction? How long do you suppose it will be before my posterity increases to over a million? A hundred years will not pass away before I will become a million myself. You may go to work and reckon it up, and twenty-five years will not pass away before Brother Brigham and I will number more than this whole Territory." [Brother Heber's modesty is only equalled by is powers of calculation. In 1857 the population of Utah was estimated by him at 75,000. Those twenty-five years expired in 1882, when it was stated that the entire Young family had increased within forty years to 1500, the original stock numbering less than twelve souls.] "If twenty-five years will produce this amount of people, how much will be the increase of 100 years?"

"But some of you are taking a course to spend your lives for naught, while Brother Brigham and I are becoming like Abraham, *Isaac* and Jacob and the prophets. Why do you not be profitable to yourselves, and put out your lives to usury? Do you understand me? That is the principle I love to talk about. * * * Some say that I am vulgar, but I never spoke a word of vulgarity here. Those who are vulgar receive my language as such, but the pure never received it so. * * * It is easy to do right, to lay aside old erroneous notions, hypocrisy, thieving, lying, etc. I want to know if God will love and respect and send his angels to one of my wives, though she were fifty, sixty or a hundred years of age, if she is disobedient to me when I am as merciful, kind and generous a man to her as ever lived? If she disobeys me, persists in taking a course contrary to my will and the will of God all the time, saying, 'I will do as I please and the angels will come and visit me,' neither God nor his Son, Jesus Christ, will send the holy angels to minister to such a woman, and she need not tell about their coming to visit her, nor about receiving revelations from heaven concerning Brother Brigham and about what Brother Brigham and Brother Heber should do. Damn such fixings; they are not of God. * * * Get revelations for the prophet of God to be subject to your requests! ! ! Get out, you stinking things, and your swamp angels, too. I am as independent of you as God upon his throne, and of all such creatures. * * * God, my father, and my elder brother, Jesus Christ, and his faithful servants are my friends. * * * I bless the Saints; * * * but I feel to curse the wicked and the ungodly and those who are taking the road to destruction."

"By their fruits shall ye know them." If Heber C. Kimball, Jedediah M. Grant and Brigham Young be the finest results of Mormonism, what must be the worst?

Was it primarily because of their religion that the Mormons became obnoxious to the inhabitants of Ohio, Missouri and Illinois? Read their creed, with which they go forth to preach the gospel, and then smile at the idea of "persecution" for belief in faith, repentance, baptism for the remission of sins and the laying on of hands for the reception of the Holy Ghost. Joseph Smith and Sidney Rigdon, the real founder of Mormonism, made their escape from Kirtland, Ohio, "between two days"—otherwise, at midnight. Why? Because, as president and cashier of a bank which had failed scandalously, they fled to Missouri to escape paying the penalty of the law. Missouri, with its sparse population, welcomed immigration. Why, then, were the Saints "persecuted?" Brigham Young publicly declared in Nauvoo that all the trouble in Missouri was caused by Sidney Rigdon's "Salt Sermon," a harangue defying the Government, denouncing the missionaries and appropriating the State to the Saints. An old Mormon, now living in Utah, tells me that his people were guilty of stealing, and even of murder, in Missouri. That many good men and women suffered for the sins of the leaders is undoubtedly true, but it must never be believed that even so benighted a State as Missouri was in 1838, when slavery shook hands with border ruffianism, drove away thousands of citizens for religious differences of opinion. Never were people so hospitable received as were the Mormons when they sought refuge in Illinois and founded the town of Nauvoo, yet trouble began almost immediately. Seven years after their welcome they were again wanderers on the face of the earth. What were the charges brought by Illinois against Joseph Smith? That he was the founder of a new religion; that he falsely claimed to be a prophet, revelator and seer? Not at all. Again, the charges were purely temporal. Here are some of them:

Joseph Smith committed violence upon an officer who dared honestly to do his duty. He caused his City Council to pass laws contrary to the laws of the State and subversive of the rights of the citizens of the State. Citizens were arrested, tried and punished for breeches of those mock laws from time to time in such a manner as to be compelled to seek asylums elsewhere. Joseph Smith caused the writ of *habeas corpus* to be issued by the Municipal Court of the city of Nauvoo, in a case not provided for in the charter of that city, and indeed contrary to the letter of that instrument; and, himself a prisoner, arrested under grave charges made by a neighboring State, brought before said Court, tried and acquitted, thereby procuring his own rescue from the custody of the law.

Citizens of adjoining counties were denied the right to regain stolen property taken to Nauvoo, even after having discovered both thief and property. These same citizens were themselves, under frivolous pretexts, arrested, fined and rifled of property to satisfy mock judgments and costs.

Persons upon whom stolen property was found were brought before Joseph Smith, who, as Mayor of Nauvoo, refused to convict. Why? Because the thieves were Latter Day Saints. Unprincipled men filled important county offices in order that Joseph Smith might have tools to do his bidding, etc., etc., etc. If there is one crime more sinful than another in the eyes of border States, it is stealing. A man may commit murder and live to kill another day, but the man who steals—especially a horse—is sure of lynch law. Now, "milking the Gentiles" was early put into practice by the Saints, and, as there is nothing like documentary evidence, I call to my aid the patriarch, Hyram Smith. On April 6, 1843, he began his address to the Saints thus:

"I have had an interview with a man who formerly belonged to the Church; he revealed to me that there is a band of men, and some who pretend to be strong in the faith of the doctrine of the Latter Day Saints, but they are hypocrites, and some who do not belong to the Church who are bound together by secret oaths, obligations and penalties to keep the secret; *and they hold that it is right to steal from any one who does not belong to the Church, provided they consecrate one-third of it to the building of the Temple. They are also making bogus money.* * * * The man who told me said: 'This secret band refer to the Bible, Book of Doctrine and Covenants and the Book of Mormon to substantiate their doctrines; and if any of them do not remain steadfast they ripped open their bowels and gave them to the cat-fish.' But no such doctrines are taught in those books. * * * I will mention two names—David Holman and James Dunn. They were living in my house. I went to them and asked them if they were stealing for a livelihood. *Holman confessed that he had stolen from the world, not from brethren.* I told them to get out of my house. David asked me to forgive him, and swore he would never do so again. Soon after he went to Montrose, where he was found stealing salt. He then stole a skiff and came across the river, stole a barrel of flour that had just been landed from a steamer, rowed down the river to Keokuk and sold the flour for $2, saying he had picked it up in the river, and it was likely a little damaged, got his pay and went away. Dunn would not promise to quit stealing, but said he would go to St. Louis."

"For the Patriarch to deny that stealing from 'the enemy' is not taught in the *Doctrine and Covenants* is to deny what is as susceptible of proof as the rising of the sun. God speaks to his chosen people in these words: 'Behold it is said in my laws, thou art forbidden to get in debt to thine enemies; but behold *it is not said at any time that the Lord should not take when He pleases* and pay as seemeth Him good. Wherefore, as ye are agents, and on the Lord's errand, whatever ye do according to the will of the Lord is the Lord's business, and He hath sent you to provide for the Saints in these last days, that they may obtain an inheritance in the land of Zion. And behold, I, the Lord, declare it unto you, and my words are sure and shall not fail. But all things must come to pass in their time; wherefore, be not weary in well-doing, for ye are laying the foundation of a great work, and out of small things proceedeth that which is great.'" In order to give full point to this moral, Heber C. Kimball quoted this extract in an address on the 15th of September, 1867, and, after proclaiming the downfall and subjection of the "enemy," otherwise Gentiles and their government, added, "'Now,' says the Lord, 'take that spoil; I consecrate it unto my people.' The Lord will provide for the Saints when necessary, and in His own way."

The Lord provided so generously for Brigham Young that, beginning in Salt Lake with nothing, at the end of thirty years he died worth at least $2,000,000, very nearly $1,000,000 of which his heirs were forced to return to the Mormon Church. In other words, Joseph Smith's successor betrayed his trust to the amount of $1,000,000. This is only one of Brigham's robberies. "Like master, like man," is an old and a true saying.

"Do you wish me to explain myself?" asked Brigham Young in the Tabernacle in 1856. "I have proof ready to show that Bishops have taken in thousands of pounds of tithing which they have never reported to the general tithing office. We have documents to show that Bishops have taken in hundreds of bushels of wheat—and only a small portion of it has come into the general tithing office; they stole it to let their friends speculate upon. If any one is doubtful about this, will you not call upon me to produce my proof before a proper tribunal? I should take pleasure in doing so, but we pass over such things in mercy to the people." Surely it is "mercy to the people" to allow them to be governed by convicted thieves! Verily, the ways of Mormonism are beyond the comprehension of ordinary mortality. One month later, in July, 1856, in counsel from the First Presidency, I find the following extraordinary advice to the Bishops so openly accused of wholesale robbery: "If the Bishops learn that any of the poor in their wards are improvident in the use of provisions, let them take charge of their provisions and deal them out as necessity and a fair proportion may demand. And if the poor feel to complain of such treatment, and are unwilling to comply with so wise a regulation for mutual support, let the Bishops say to them that they have the privilege of leaving their wards!"

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My Shrine.

I have three windows in my room, sweet Love,
From out whose lattice work
I look toward thee.
One faces toward Jerusalem,
One opens toward famed Mecca,
And one looks out toward the sea.
So, when I kneel to pray, sweet Love,
My eyes bewildered with the glistening snow
Which tips San Bernardino's hills,
I turn me toward the East, toward thee,
And as I pray I know
That far away, so far, and yet so near,
Thy morning thoughts each day
Of this long year
Will watted be,
On Eastern breeze, to me.

At evening time, when the long day is done,
I sit before my window, opening
Upon the fast setting sun;
I spread my Persian rug
So that my face may be
Toward Mecca.
As a true Moslem to his faith
Would Westward prayerfully kneel
To that far shrine of fame,
So look my eyes toward thee,
And faster than fanatic pilgrims
Bend the knee
In the false prophet's worship,
So my thoughts, incessantly,
Breathe evening incense
To thy precious name.

But when at noon, before my window
Facing out upon the sea I stand,
And look upon the waters, which
Stretch to that far off land,
Where soon shall be my home,
Bright thoughts of thee still come
Into my saddened heart.
I see the ship, I hear the billows dash
Against the shore,
I step upon the deck,
And o'er and o'er
I say the the words, sweet Love,
"No more, no more
Shall mountains grim,
With crowns of snow,
Shall western skies with sunset glow,
Shall morning's gleam of rose light,
Shall noontide's beam of glistening white
Keep thee and me apart.

My ship shall sail
O'er a charmed sea
To a blessed land,
Where a shrine shall be,
Upon whose marble steps
I will stand,
A glad, fanatical devotee—
And whether I turn toward the dawning East,
Or whether I turn toward the billowy sea,
Or whether I turn toward the dying West,
My eyes, and my heart, sweet Love,
Will turn toward thee."

MARY A. BADLEY.

Los Angeles, Jan. 31st.

Ochiltree and the "Roan Gildin'."

From the Washington Republican.]

"Talking about claims against the government," said Col. Tom Ochiltree of Texas yesterday, "I have noticed the smaller the claim the more rantankerous the claimant is for collection. As an example, I have presented a claim to compensate a loyal citizen from whom the government took steamboats on the Mississippi river during the war, valued at $100,000. Another is for a horse killed at Powderhorn, Texas, in 1864, valued at $150. Occasionally I get a brief note from the steamboat man, mildly hoping that I am doing well with the claim and that it will eventually be paid. He bothers me very little. But the man with the dead horse is the most persistent correspondent I have. He never fails to write to me once a week about his "roan gildin' hoss," and some times he writes twice a week. His letters are voluminous, each one, as a rule, containing a minute description of the defunct war horse, size, color, marks, age, peculiarities, and pedigree, with the painfully detailed circumstances under which he rendered up his life in behalf of the government. Each letter expresses astonishment that the claim has not been paid; wants to know specifically when it will be paid, and hopes the return mail will contain a reply enclosing the money. The claimant's patriotism is glowingly set forth; his poverty and that of his starving wife and children woefully painted; the ingratitude of the country; the claimant's adventures as a soldier; his marriage; his ancestry; the poignant sufferings to which he has been subjected by the untimely loss of the 'roan geldin' hoss,' and his poor wife 'a setin' up thru' the winter nights a waitin' fur the claim to be paid,' and the little children crying because I do not forward the money; all these combine to make it the most desperate case I ever had on my hands, and to make me feel sorry that I ever came to Congress, and glad that I am not coming back. Why, sir, I have spent one-fourth of my time writing to that fellow about his 'roan gildin' hoss,' and how am I rewarded? Why, his wife sits up through the long winter nights looking out on the gulf waves that beat the shores at Powderhorn, and the children cry because I do not forward the money. They think all I have to do is to walk up to the counter, hand over the bill, get it cashed, and remit, and they can't understand why this is not done. It wouldn't surprise me if this claimant, with his weeping wife and children, got to thinking that I have collected the price of the 'roan gildin' hoss' and put it in my pocket."

The wife of F. Marion Crawford, the British novelist, had for a maiden name Bessie Burden, and hailed from Troy, N. Y. Crawford evidently believed that a Burden the hand was worth two in the bush.

It was unkind when a local wag said to a hotel porter of evident familiarity with the flowing bowl, "Oh, never mind the elevator—just blow up toward my window." "An' phat wud I be afther blowin' at yer windy fur?" "Oh, so I can shin up on your breath."

Not So Big as He Thought.

Merchant Traveler.]

A bright little fellow, about three years of age, was very anxious to go to walk with his father.

"No," said the latter, "you can't go; you're too little."

"Oh, no, papa," he said stoutly, "I'm a big boy."

"All right," said his father, "come along."

On the way home the little fellow became tired, and wanted his father to carry him.

"I thought you were a big boy?" said his father, pretending to sneer.

"I was a big boy when I started out," he said, "but I'm a little boy now."

He was carried the rest of the way.

He Had Tried it Himself.

Harper's Bazar.]

When little Willie L—— first heard the braying of a mule in the south he was greatly frightened, but after thinking a minute he smiled at his fear, saying, "Mamma, just hear that poor horse wiv the whooping-cough."

He Didn't Know.

"Might I ask who lives here?" asked a polite gentleman of a stranger he met in front of a handsome mansion. "Certainly, sir," as politely replied the other. "Who is it, sir?" "I'm sure I don't know," replied the stranger.

HEROES OF THE SOUDAN.

"Chinese" Gordon and His Suddenly Famous Conqueror.

MOHAMMEDAN VERSUS CHRISTIAN.

Sketches and Portraits of El Mahdi, "the True Prophet," and Gordon, the Diplomat, General and Patriot.

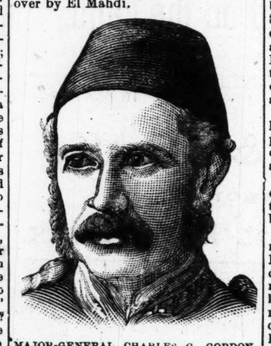
The startling and bloody outcome of England's hybrid Egyptian policy—half greed of empire and half palsied indecision—has re-awakened interest which was flagging in the monotonous course of affairs in the Orient. The tragedy of Khartoum, by which England loses her most renowned General, along with the key to a position she deemed her own, has put a new face upon the matter. The Egyptian leader known best as "the False Prophet," may well claim a more honorable title to-day, for he has fairly outwitted and beaten England's best. The genius of leadership, the patriotism and the strategic talent developed by this man who a few months ago was an obscure Mohammedan teacher in Dongola, put him upon a place above the common leader of treason.

"For when it prospers, none dare call it treason." Great Britain finds that her diplomatic victory over France in the Egyptian question was not the conquest of Egypt, but merely the prelude to such a struggle as she had not known for a generation. Egypt and northern Africa are no longer battlefields for words and paper, but for bayonets and lead. And the end is not yet. The splendid accoutrements and military discipline of English troops must at last carry the day; but it must be a heavy and a bloody road that leads to final victory. The Musselman, when his blood is fired by religious prejudice, fights with a demoniac fury which even disciplined valor can scarce withstand. To other men, however brave, death has a ghastly face; but to him, as upon the field he draws his scimeter for the faith, death is more than terrorless—it is his welcome passport to Paradise. His fanatic recklessness has no forethought, and brings him nought but destruction when unguided. But, with a great leader, he may well make the most terrible of foes. And at last the leader has arisen.

EL MAHDI,

whom we present what is believed to be an admirable portrait before his appearance as the head of the rebellion against the British invaders. Mohammed Ahmed was a religious teacher of the faith of Isham, dwelling in the province of Dongola. Spending months in a dry pit in the Soudan, to seek spiritual advice and guidance, he finally emerged from this hermitage and proclaimed himself El Mahdi (The Prophet).

He preached a religious war against the English and thousands of his countrymen flocked to his assistance. The neighboring tribes joined in the movement, and together they formed an enormous army. They made the Soudan untenable for foreigners and gained several victories over their opponents. El Mahdi sending emissaries among the Egyptian troops, composed of native soldiers, caused dissatisfaction among them and many joined his forces. Those chiefs who would not join the revolution were secured as neutral allies by the promise of substantial tracts of land. King John of Abysinnia, upon whom the English reckoned, was thus bought over by El Mahdi.



MAJOR-GENERAL CHARLES G. GORDON,

better known as "Chinese Gordon," had made himself one of the conspicuous figures in the affairs of the Nineteenth century. He was born in 1830, and was a younger son of the late Lieutenant-General Henry William Gordon, R. A. He comes from a fighting family, his ancestors for one hundred and fifty years back having almost without exception served in the army. His paternal grandfather stormed the heights of Quebec with Wolfe; and his maternal grandfather owned the ship which furnished Boston material for that historic tea-party. Gordon himself was educated at Taunton and at Woolwich Military Academy, and his first service after leaving the latter place was as lieutenant of engineers. He was ordered to Crimea with the Royal Engineers in 1854 and there distinguished himself for his work in the trenches before Sebastopol. In 1856 he was appointed Assistant Commissioner and sent to Bessarabia to settle the disputes about the boundaries of Russia and Turkey. In 1860 he went to China, where by his bold and judicious conduct in supporting the Chinese Emporer against the Tai-ping rebels, he earned the thanks of both the English and native governments, as well as his familiar soubriquet "Chinese Gordon." He took charge of the "ever-victorious army," disciplined the rude Chinese soldiery, drove the Tai-pings beyond the Great Canal, and suppressed the rebellion after the suicide of the rebel leader, who called himself "The Heavenly King." The highest military and civic honors were showered upon Gordon by the Emperor, who made him a Mandarin in 1863; but the English government rewarded him only by the rather inadequate commission of a Colonel.

When General Gordon was leaving China, he was overwhelmed with testimonials of esteem from business men and officials. On his arrival in England his company was eagerly sought for, but he discountenanced all attentions. In 1865 he was made commander of the Royal Engineers at Gravesend, remaining there until 1871, when he was sent out as British Vice-Consul to the Danube delta. In 1873 he entered the service of Ishmail Pasha, late Khedive of Egypt, with a view to crushing out the infamous slave trade there prevalent, and of re-establishing the Khedive's waning power. "With the help of God," said General Gordon on assuming command, "I'll hold the balance level."

His first act as Governor of the upper tribes was to reduce his own pay from £10,000 to £2000. For five years, at Khartoum, on the White Nile, around the lakes and in Darfour and Cardovan, he worked with the most indefatigable zeal, disregarding personal exposure, fatigue and danger. The slave trade was in part suppressed, and the country became far more quiet and orderly than it has been since or was for years before.

In 1877 he was made Governor-General of the Soudan and was installed on the 5th of May of the same year. In 1879 he resigned and returned to England. In 1880 he accepted the position of private secretary to Lord Ripon, but soon after resigned. He went to China and was effectual in preventing war with Russia.

He had gained an enviable reputation among the nations for justice and humanity, and great popularity in England; and upon El Mahdi's insurrection, Gladstone saw in him the man for the emergency. In February, 1884, therefore, Gordon was despatched to Khartoum to secure the safety of the European residents, rendered shaky by the obliteration of Hicks Pasha by El Mahdi. No sooner had Gordon taken his position in Khartoum than the Prophet invested the city, which has just succumbed to his persistence and generalship. Gordon seemed to bear a charmed life, and was a firm believer in his protection at the hands of the Deity, but it is asserted that he expressed a presentment, before leaving England, that he would never return alive from the dark Soudan. His foreboding was terribly fulfilled.

SCIENTIFIC MISCELLANY.

Chemistry for the Kitchen.—Mr. W. Mattieu Williams states that he is making experiments to learn the efficiency of the diastase of malt, and also that of various acids, in converting vegetable tissue into dextrine and grape-sugar. When a process for effecting such conversion is made generally available our food supplies will be greatly extended. Turnips and similar vegetables will become delicate diet for invalids; horse-beans will be better than beef; and delicate biscuits and fancy, pastry as well as ordinary bread, will be produced from sawdust and wood-shavings plus a little leguminous flour. This may be done now. Chemists have long been able to transform old shirts and rags into sugar in their laboratories. It has yet to be done in the kitchen.

New Food.—In the seed of the cotton tree, of which several varieties are cultivated in Bolivia, a correspondent of the French Academy announces the discovery of the richest of all known grains in nitrogeneous substances. He is convinced that the flour of this seed is destined to become an important article of food. A paste made from it may serve as a substitute for milk.

The number of fossil plant species now known is estimated to be not less than 9000, and may be considerably greater. A catalogue of all which have been described down to the present year is being prepared at the National Museum.

The discovery was recently announced of a fossil air-breathing animal of an earlier age than any before known—a scorpion from the upper Silurian deposits of Sweden. A cockroach's wing dating from a still more remote period—the middle Silurian—has since been found in France.

Prompting Eye-Glasses.—The "master-photoscope," devised by a schoolmaster of the Isle of Man, in a pair of spectacle in the rims of which are several micro-photographs, each provided with a little magnifying lens. The instrument is worn is an ordinary pair of spectacles, and the wearer may at any time see the pictures by slightly turning his eyes. A public speaker may thus have in view photographs of his notes; a traveler, maps or tables of information; a detective, a list of criminals sought; and so on.

Temperature Perception.—A German physiologist, Prof. Eulenberg, has found that different parts of the body are very unequally sensitive to differences of heat and cold, the sense of temperature being most acute in the forehead and the back of the hands, and least active in the back and the upper part of the abdomen. At the former spots differences of about a third of a Fahrenheit degree were distinctly perceived, but at the other two points differences were only detected when reaching nearly two degrees.

A Quinine Substitute.—The doundaké plant (*cephalina esculenta*, Schum) has been described to the Paris Academy of Sciences as an astringent and febrifuge capable of replacing quinine, as well as a dye yielding a beautiful yellow color. It grows in West Africa, and resembles the Morinda of the South Sea Islands quite closely in many respects. Its active principle is doundakine.

In Birmingham, England, a company has been organized for the novel purpose of distributing to the manufacturers of the town air strongly compressed at a central station.

It has been recently proven that earthworms are capable of regenerating tissue, large pieces cut from their bodies being replaced by new growths.

Lacustrine Revelations.—Since 1873 no less than 19,599 relics of the Proto-Helvetians, as the prehistoric lake-dwellers of Central Europe have been named, have been dug from the beds of lakes Neuchatel and Bienne. Swiss museums have received 13,678 of these objects, while Dr. Goss, of Neuveville, has nearly 6000. Dr. Goss finds evidence that the progress of this vanished race was marked by three successive stages—an age of stone, an age of bronze, and an age of iron. There may also have been an age of copper, preceding that of bronze. Remains of villages of the stone age are most abundant—thirteen having been found in Lake Bienne, with only two of the bronze age—but those belonging to the era of metals are much more extensive. Besides the stone and metal implements, various wooden objects have been found, such as canoes, an ox-yoke, fragments of tables and benches, toy boats, hammers and spades. No complete dwelling has yet been found among the villages of the lakes, but charred planks and timbers remain to tell of the mysterious conflagration in which perished a remarkable and an cient civilization.

A new spider, the female of which measures six and a half inches from tip to tip of the fore and hind legs, has been discovered in a cave of Tasmania.

Flying fish do not fly is the assertion of Dr. K. Mobius, a German zoologist. The muscles of their pectoral fins are too small to sustain the weight of the body in the air. The impulse to which they owe their long shooting passage through the air is delivered, while they are still in the water, by the powerful masses of muscle on both sides of their body.

A German ornithologist, Dr. A. C. E. Baldamus, has specimens of the nests and eggs of 2000 species of birds, mostly European.

Lorraine has wonderful, lustrous eyes,
Clear as the depths of a mirrored lake,
Blue as the blue of morning skies
That frost and sunshine together make.
"Give me those beautiful eyes," I said,
"Those merry blue eyes of yours, Lorraine!"
The sunbeams danced on the golden head,
While into the eyes crept a look of pain.
"I can't," the little maid said, at last,
Her mind all free from the sudden doubt
As over the lids her fingers passed,
"Dod put 'em in tight, and I can't det 'em out!"
—[St. Nicholas.

The invention of frozen meat shipments created a boom in Buenos Ayres. Cattle, sheep and ranches have been advancing wildly for several years. Now they have a panic. There is a top to everything. If you keep going up you will at last get to where you can scrape the sky.

THE PILGRIM'S PROGRESS

"Lum" Among the New Mexican Mining Camps.

GOLDEN AND ITS LAND-GRANT GRABBERS.

An Elastic Road—Mountains of Mineral—The Country Where the Land-Grant Blooms and the Political Hold-Up Gets in His Work.

The trip over from Carbonateville to Golden was through a country which seemed as little likely as possible to yield any excitement; but it was an experience which I shall never forget as long as my memory holds out to carry me to three meals a day. Wading the icy Gallisteo at Los Cerrillos—a little brown shantydom, supported about equally by the railroad and the adjacent coal and other mines—I started up the sandy arroyos toward the south. A dozen branching roads rather muddled my topography, and I asked a teamster which road led to Golden. "That one," said he, pointing, "an' you've got a big afternoon's walk before you. Golden's twelve miles from here." That didn't rattle me, and I tramped three miles up the steep hills, until I met two men in an express. They informed me that I was now fourteen miles from Golden, and on the right road. A mile and a half beyond, two ox-teams, loaded with coal, hove in sight, and the drivers said, "Yes, straight road, sixteen miles." That began to give me a pain; and when I found a man working at a coal-bank, a hundred yards further on, I asked him the distance to Golden in a voice that should have drawn tears from a turnip. He mildly but firmly replied that it was just eighteen miles. Then I sat down upon a rock and felt of my feet, to see if they hadn't got turned around, somehow. A long-bearded bushwhacker came loping along on a little broncho, and to him I appealed: "Say, Mister, don't impose upon a norphan, but tell me how far it is to Golden. If it's 50 miles, just spit it right out, for I want to know the worst. They've been breaking it to me gently all the way, but I want you to tell me the whole bitter truth." He looked at me compassionately, doubtless thinking me a mild-eyed crank, and told me it was not quite twenty miles to Golden. I went and wept great salt tears over a buck-horn cactus—you could find those tears yet, I reckon, strung like beads upon the thorns—and struggled on. Probably you fancy this is all fiction, but I assure you no. The conversations occurred precisely as I have reported them. The only thing that puzzles me is how they all came to be so unanimous in sticking on two miles every time. There must have been a scheme to impose upon my virgin confidence. The road has never been surveyed, I believe, so the general ignorance of its true length is not at all surprising. That is one touch of nature in which you will find the whole world kin. I'll wager you can't find on any ten-mile stretch, three people who will tell you the same story as to the length of that stretch. People get educated in almost any other direction; but when it comes to fixing the points of the compass or the number of miles to a certain place, they know less about it than they do of the road up the celestial stairs.

That barren reach between Cerrillos and Golden—as my pedometer informed me at night—was just twenty and one-eighth miles, and mean miles they are. There is some very pretty scenery along the way, too, as the road wobbles around the bases of the fine, sharp Ortiz mountains; but by the time you have climbed ten miles of semi-perpendicular sand, and still are not at the height of land, the beauties of nature are quoted considerably below par in the mental stock exchange. It is a "dreffal dry" road, too; and had it not been for my big canteen filled with muddy water from the vile Gallisteo—a Gal. I was mighty glad to leave behind me—I should have shriveled up into a puff-ball. With every snifter of that water I swallowed a tablespoonful of iron-rust and sand; but it tasted sweet as honey. Clear water lacks body, anyhow, and iron is good for the system. At last, however, beside the tallest Ortiz peak, Shadow and I struck the highest pitch, and started on the long-delayed down grade. Luckily it was a cold day, or we might have stuck on that pitch. As it was, we touched it without being defiled. Then came a long stretch across the plain; and just at sunset a young fellow on horseback informed me that it was still two miles to Golden. I harried on for half an hour, and met a Mexican who replied, "Tres millas" to my query. I'd like to have a pair of suspenders made of that road—they'd never lose their stretch. But finally, after a mile climb up the wooded hill, I heard the welcome toot of a dog; and a moment later caught the dim gleam from a score of windows. A man doesn't know what feels good, until he gets in from a long, cold tramp which has been aggravated by uncertainty whether he was on the right one of a dozen roads leading off through the darkness; and sits down to a good hot supper beside a ruddy base-burner with a matronly little hostess bustling around to attend to his wants.

I have seen a good many mining camps, here and there, but there is no other where I have felt so tempted to throw out an anchor as in Golden. The little town has an 18-karat future before it, and that future, though long deferred, is coming on the keen jump. It is sure as death. For fourteen days I traveled hither and yon over the mountains that hemmed it in, stubbing my toes on their innumerable outcrops of rich ore, blinking at the brilliant revelations down in their many mines, handling the heavy limplets from their inexhaustible placers—and I know what I am talking about. There are two large mountain ranges there—the Ortiz and Tuerto—whose rocky hearts are rent and seamed with mineral wealth in many forms; whose washings, now great gravel beds covering thousands of acres, are all rich in golden sand. The place has wood for a century, endless deposits of finest coal close by, abundant water from artesian and ordinary wells, and all the requirements for fluxing. A place with that behind it cannot be kept down, and Golden is coming up. Through all the five years of her life—for that is the age of the present town, though placer mining has been going on in that vicinity since 1828—her neck has been under the heel of the most rascally set of cut-throat robbers that ever went unhung. A big ring of unscrupulous scoundrels have for years been having their own way in New Mexico; and their way came very near being the ruin of that great, and should be prosperous, Territory. Many of these fellows were officers in the rebel army; but while the Republican party has been in power they have been parading under its banner—Republicans for revenue only. Just now they are the rabidest of Democrats. I have been a good Republican all my life, and hope to die one; but if the defeat of last November enables the party to amputate from itself such excrescences, to shake off the rascals who have been hanging on to its unwilling coat-tails, I believe we are ahead on the bargain, after all. Love of party as well as love of country demands that when a bad element sneaks within our own lines it be traced out and kicked out—not hidden and retained to corrupt the whole camp. So I am glad that a much needed purging is taking place or to take place in New Mexico. Space would fail to tell of all the scoundrels who have been sapping the life of that fine young Territory; but in a general way they are termed "The Santa Fe Ring." The ring includes Steve Elkins; ex-Attorney-General, Tom B. Catron, (who commanded a rebel battery during the war); Chief Justice Axtell, an Ohio man, and later a member of Congress from California, who could not be justice of the peace at home; Gov. Sheldon, another Buckeye best known as a common sot; the Attorney-General, Surveyor-General, and others without end. They made a narrow escape from stealing the whole Territory and carrying it off in their vest pockets; but there came a tidal wave of popular wrath, last fall, and now their name is Dennis. A majority of the Americans in New Mexico came there Republicans, and a majority, too, personally preferred Blaine to Cleveland; but Blaine had allowed Elkins to be his chief promoter—a mistake which I think we all recognized from the start—and they couldn't swallow that.

The fashion in which this ring has worked to oppress the people is easily told. In a previous letter I had something to say of the audacity and appalling power of monopoly in Colorado. The nether millstone about New Mexico's neck has been the land-grants. When Mexico and New Mexico were one, the native government used to make grants of large tracts of land to citizens whose services made such recognition fitting. These grants are respected by our own government, since the accession of New Mexico to this country, by the treaty of Guadaloupe Hidalgo in 1848. They were made solely for grazing and farming—"for agricultural and pastoral purposes," in the language of the documents, and can be used only thus. The Mexican Government was not in the habit of giving away mines; and our own wise republican laws do not tolerate the holding of great bodies of mineral land by corporations, to the exclusion of the prospector and miner. Now very few of these grants remain in the hands of the original grantees—in fact, I don't know that any of them do. Most, if not all, have been bought up by syndicates and speculators. That is all right, of course; but not so the perversions which have arisen from the greed of powerful and unscrupulous men. The sharks have not only turned the lands, which are legally available only for grazing and agriculture, into vast mining monopolies, over whose fence the poor prospector dare not climb; but wherever there was valuable mineral land anywhere near them, they have fraudulently gobbled the whole business, suborning surveyors to run false lines, and buying judges and juries over to make their robbery safe. Let me give you an object lesson in their methods, taking the little village of Golden as a sample. A few miles southeast of town lies the small triangle of the Cañon del Agua grant, made by the Mexican Government in 1839 to Don Jesus Miera and others, and originally containing a little less than a league of land. It included one old silver mine which was Miera's by inheritance, and the rest was asked and given for farming and grazing. In 1866, Elkins and several fellow sharks bought this grant from the then owner, and got a deputy surveyor out to put the lines where they would do the most good. In 1844 one Barrillo had discovered and opened what is now known as the Great San Pedro copper mine—one of the largest and most valuable mining properties in the world. This lies about two miles east of the east line of the original grant. The first step of the robbers was to have their surveys made so as to include a great tract of land whose lines run from Golden to the top of the mountain, on which the San Pedro is situated, to the Cañon del Agua Spring, and back four miles to Golden—a triangle containing many times as much land as the original grant, and in addition to it. Or, to put it more diagrammatically, they took the grant by the edge and turned it over like the leaf of a book, so that the original east line became the new west line; and then pulled out the elastic corners until the triangle had been stretched tenfold; and deserting entirely their mesa of grazing land, they scooped in a range of mountains. This gave them the great copper mine, a fabulous fortune in itself and a wide area of wonderfully rich placers. A little later, finding the whole range just as rich in mineral as the San Pedro mountain, they concluded they hadn't stolen enough, so they ran new lines and took in several thousand acres more of fine mining lands. Some years ago, parties struck a tremendously rich lead of gold quartz in the Delgado mine, which was on a mountain a few hundred yards outside the lines of the second steal. Perhaps you remember seeing, at the Centennial Exposition, those premium specimens of quartz, from which the

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... LITTLE SERMONS.

...gational Church, Feb. ...non, Mr. Wells said: ... the Psalms which ... children will find a ... this: "Sing praises ... Sing praises to ... a boy I had a ...always singing, ...ful voice, and ...rom morning till ... sing; I never ...n a great regret ...es, when she had ...or two without stop... would say, "Prit"— ... for Pretty—"Prit, do ...e." But by and by, ...one from the house, ...no more echoed her ...s, then no one missed ... grandfather. No one ...n he how much of sun...en with her from that ...

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...o a singing army and ... We have one that ... the morning service. ...nday School. It is a ...hildren, keep on sing... not sing now, keep ...can. I would rather ...an a hundred pianos. ...ar you sing, even if it ...n the little tree-frog ...y study window.

EXCITEMENT IN ROCHESTER.

Widespread Commotion Caused by that Remarkable Statement of a Physician.

The story published in these columns recently, from the Rochester (N. Y.) Democrat, created a deal of comment here as it has elsewhere. Apparently it caused even more commotion in Rochester, as the following from the same paper shows:

Dr. J. B. Henion, who is well known not only in Rochester but in nearly every part of America, sent an extended article to this paper a few days ago, which was duly published, detailing his remarkable experience and rescue from what seemed to be certain death. It would be impossible to enumerate the personal inquiries which have been made at our office as to the validity of the article, but they have been so numerous that further investigation of the subject was deemed an editorial necessity.

With this end in view, a representative of this paper called on Dr. Henion at his residence on Andrews street, when the following interview occurred: "That article of yours, Doctor, has created quite a whirlwind. Are the statements about the terrible condition you were in, and the way you were rescued such as you can sustain?"

"Every one of them and many additional ones. I was brought so low by neglecting the first and most simple symptoms. I did not think I was sick. It is true I had frequent headaches; felt tired most of the time; could eat nothing one day and was ravenous the next; felt dull pains and my stomache was out of order, but I did not think it meant anything serious. The medical profession have been treating symptoms instead of diseases for years, and it is high time it ceased. The symptoms I have just mentioned or any unusual action or irritation of the water channels indicate the approach of kidney disease more than a cough announces the coming of consumption. We do not treat the cough, but try to help the lungs. We should not waste our time trying to relieve the headache, pains about the body or other symptoms, but go directly to the kidneys, the source of most of these ailments."

"This, then, is what you meant when you said that more than one-half the deaths which occur arise from Bright's disease, is it Doctor?"

"Precisely. Thousands of diseases are torturing people to-day, which in reality are Bright's disease in some of its many forms. It is a hydraheaded monster, and the slightest symptoms should strike terror to every one who has them. I can look back and recall hundreds of deaths which physicans declared at the time were caused by paralysis, apoplexy, heart disease, pneumonia, malarial fever and other common complaints which I see now were caused by Bright's disease."

"And did all these cases have simple symptoms at first?"

"Every one of them, and might have been cured as I was by the timely use of the same remedy. I am getting my eyes thoroughly opened in this matter and think I am helping others to see the facts and their possible danger also."

Mr. Warner was visited at his establishment on North St. Paul street. At first he was inclined to be reticent, but learning that the information desired was about Bright's disease, his manner changed instantly and he spoke very earnestly:

"It is true that Bright's disease had increased wonderfully, and we find, by reliable statistics, that from '70 to '80, its growth was over 250 per cent. Look at the prominent men it has carried off: Everett, Sumner, Chase, Wilson, Carpenter, Bishop, Haven, Folger, Colfax and others. Nearly every week the papers record the death of some prominent man from this scourge. Recently, however, the increase has been checked and I attribute this to the general use of my remedy."

"Do you think many people are afflicted with it to-day who do not realize it, Mr. Warner?"

"A prominent professor in a New Orleans medical college was lecturing before his class on the subject of Bright's disease. He had various fluids under microscopic analysis and was showing the students what the indications of this terrible malady were. 'And now, gentlemen,' he said, 'as we have seen the unhealthy indication, I will show you how it appears in a state of perfect health,' and he submitted his own fluid to the usual test. As he watched the results his countenance suddenly changed—his color and command both left him, and in a trembling voice he said: 'Gentlemen, I have made a painful discovery; I have Bright's disease of the kidneys,' and in less than a year he was dead. The slightest indications of any kidney difficulty should be enough to strike terror to any one."

"You know of Dr. Henion's cases?"

"Yes, I have both read and heard of it."

"It is very wonderful, is it not?"

"No more so than a great many others that have come to my notice as having been cured by the same means."

"You believe, then, that Bright's disease can be cured?"

"I know it can. I know it from my own and the experience of thousands of prominent persons who were given up to die by both their physicians and their friends."

"You speak of your own experience; what was it?"

"A fearful one. I had felt languid and unfitted for business for years. But I did not know what ailed me. When, however, I found it was kidney difficulty I thought there was little hope, and so did the doctors. I have since learned that one of the physicians of this city pointed me out to a gentleman on the street one day, saying: 'There goes a man who will be dead within a year.' I believe his words would have proved true if I had not providentially used the remedy now known as Warner's Safe Cure."

Dr. S. A. Lattimore, although busily engaged upon some matters connected with the State Board of Health, of which he is one of the analysts, courteously answered the questions that were propounded him:

"Did you make a chemical analysis of the case of Mr. H. H. Warner some three years ago, Doctor ?"

"Yes, sir."

"What did this analysis show you ?"

"The presence of albumen and tube casts in great abundance."

"And what did the symptoms indicate ?"

"A serious disease of the kidneys."

"Did you think Mr. Warner could recover ?"

"No, sir. I did not think it possible."

"Do you know anything about the remedy which cured him ?"

"Yes. I have chemically analyzed it and find it pure and harmless."

We publish the foregoing statements in view of the commotion which the publicity of Dr. Henion's articles has caused and to meet the protestations which have been made. The doctor was cured *four years ago* and is *well* and attending to his professional duties to-day. The standing of Dr. Henion, Dr. Warner and Dr. Lattimore in the community is beyond question and the statements they make cannot for a moment be doubted. Dr. Henion's experience shows that Bright's disease of the kidneys is one of the most deceptive and dangerous of all diseases, that it is exceedingly common, and that it can be cured.

THE COURTS.

SATURDAY, Feb. 14.

SUPERIOR COURT—*Judge Cheney.*

People vs. Fred Coyle: Conviction of burglary. Sentenced to two years in San Quentin.

People vs. Cado and Morales: Information for robbery. Plea of guilty by Cado. Sentenced to two years in San Quentin. Plea of not guilty by Morales, and trial set for Feb. 19.

In re assignee of E. Green: Bond fixed at $4000.

Estate of J. A. Taylor: I. N. Moore, J. D. Harvey and H. Lisk appointed appraisers.

CITY JUSTICE COURT—*Justice Austin.*

People vs. Paul Kern: Examination continued to Feb 18.

Henry Keyle vs. J. A. Haskell and F. R. McLellan: Judgment for plaintiff for $135 and costs.

FINANCE AND TRADE.

Stocks and Bonds.

By Telegraph to The Times.

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Governments dull, firm. Railways dull, irregular. Stocks again weak and lower, decline being led by Western Union. Some prominent operators on the "bull side" throughout the recent advance were to-day large sellers of Western Union and Union Pacific, especially former. In the last hour market rallied a fraction and closed generally strong. All active stocks ½ to 1¾ per cent. lower, however, than last night.

Money 1@2%; closing ½%.

Prime paper, 4@5.

Exchange bills dull, unchanged, 83¼; demand, 86½.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

	NEW YORK, Feb. 14.		
3 per cents	101	N. Y. Central	91¾
4½ per cents	112½	Or. Navigation	63¼
4 per cents	122½	Transcontinental	12¾
Can'd'n Pacific	38	Or. Imp'ment	26
Central Pacific	39½	Pacific Mail	34⅝
Denver & R G	6½	Panama	98
Kansas & Tex	16	Texas Pacific	12¾
Northern Pac	16⅛	Union Pacific	48¾
N P preferred	39¾		

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK MARKET.

	SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.		
Best and Belcher	70	Ophir	80
Chollar	2 90	Potosi	80
Gould and Curry	65	Savage	1 00
Hale and N	4 00	Sierra Nevada	1 80
Navajo	1 10	Union Con	35

Grain Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Wheat, firm, steady; buyer season, $1 86½@1 86¾. Barley, steady, quiet; seller, 84½@84¾c; seller season, 87½@88c; buyer, 96½@97; buyer season, 91⅞@92¼c.

The English Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 14.—Wheat quiet, poor demand; supply good.

Los Angeles Produce Market.

Reported by the Times.

WHOLESALE PRICES.

SATURDAY, February 14, 1885.

[These quotations are corrected daily and may be depended upon as fairly representing the Los Angeles markets.]

WHEAT—Australian, No. 1, $1 35@$1 45; do, seed, $1 10; No. 2, $1 10; No. 3, 80c; Defiance, No. 1, $1 10; Sonora Seed, $1 10.

RYE—$1 35.

OATS—Surprise, $2 25; Feed, No. 1, $1 25.

BARLEY—No 1, carload lots 75@82½c; No. 1 job lots, 85@90c; No. 2, seed, 90c.

CORN—Large Yellow, carload lots 75@80c; small job lots, 90c; Seed, 90c.

FLOUR—Solaro, $4 50; Los Angeles, XXXX, $4 50.

MILL FEED—Bran, $16; Mixed Feed, $1 00; Cracked Corn, $1 05; Cracked Barley, 90c; Ground do, 90c; Rolled do, 90c.

LUBRICATING OIL—Per gallon, 25c.

GRAIN BAGS—Mill Sacks, 6½c; Liverpool, returned, 6½c; French, do, 6¾c; Calcutta, 22x36, spot, 6½c; second-hand Barley, 4c.

HAY—Barley, W. B., No. 1, $7@8 50; rope-baled, $8; Wheat, W. B., $9; R. B., Alfalfa, $9.

SEEDS—Alfalfa, 15@17c.

POTATOES—Early Rose, North, $1 40@1 65; Los Angeles, $1 35; Northern Peach blows, $1 50; Peerless, $1 75; River Red, 80@$1 20; Yellow, $1 25; Red and White, 90c; Jersey Blue, $1 50; Garnet Chile, $1 40; Humboldt, $1 75.

BUTTER—Los Angeles, No. 1, per roll, 50c; Northern, 55c; Pickled, new, 50c; Cooking, roll, 35c; mixed store, 30@38c.

EGGS—Declining, 17@19½.

VEGETABLES—Onions, Yellow Danvers, $4 00; Chilies, 55@70c; Garlic, 8@10c; bages, per 100 pounds, 90c.

CHEESE—Large, 14c; small, 15c; Alamitos (3-lb hand), 16c.

BEANS—Pink, $2 25; Lima, $2 50; Navy, small, 3½ @3¾; Bayos, $2 50@3 00; Garvances, $7 50; Bayous, $2.50@3 00.

PEAS—Green field, per sack, in large lots, $3 25.

HONEY—Extracted Light, carload lots 3½c, job lots 4¼c; Amber, 3@3½c; Comb, 8a10c; Beeswax, 20@22½c.

POULTRY—Hens, $5 50@6 50 per doz; old Roosters, $5 00; Young Roosters, $4 00@$5 00; Broilers, $3@$3 75; Turkeys, 16c per pound; Ducks, per doz, $6 50@$6 75.

PROVISIONS—Light bacon, 13c; medium do, 12½c; heavy do, 11c; Lard, 10-lb tins, 10¾c; 5-lb tins, 11c; 2½-lb tins, 11¾c; 50-lb tubs, 11¼c.

DRIED FRUIT—Peaches, 6@6½c; Plums 11¾c; do pitted, 17¾c; Apples, sliced, sun dried, 5½c; quartered, 3c; Blackberries, 15c; Prunes, French, 9c; do, California, 8½c; Hungarian, 7c.

RAISINS—Layers, $1 75; London, $1 75; Loose Muscatels, $1 65; Bulk Raisins, 6c; Dried Grapes, 5c.

NUTS—Walnuts, 5@7c; Almonds, soft shell, 10@12c; hard shell, 6@7½c; Peanuts, 5½c.

ORANGES—Market weak; Los Angeles, new crop, per box, $1 50.

SEMI-TROPICAL FRUITS—Lemons, per box, seedlings, $1 00@1 37½; Eurekas, $2 50; Limes, per box, $1@$1 25.

HIDES—Dry, 17c; Kip, 15½c; Calf, 18½c; Culls, one-third less.

SKINS—Short Wool, each, 30c; long do, 75c; Shearlings, 10c.

WOOL—Fall clip, per pound, 5@7c; Spring do, 8@10c.

HAMS—Eastern, 14c; California, 12½c.

Los Angeles Wholesale Meat Market

Corrected for the Times by S. Maier, 49 South Spring Street.

The following are prices for whole carcasses:

BEEF—First grade, 8c per pound; second grade, 8½c.

MUTTON—5c per pound for Ewes and 6c for Wethers.

LAMB—Spring, 7½@8c.

VEAL—From 7 to 10c per pound.

HOGS—On foot, hard, 4@5c per pound; dressed, 7@8c.

Real Estate Transfers.

[Reported by Gillette & Gibson.]

SATURDAY, Feb. 14, 1885.

CONVEYANCES.

J V Sutton to Tilman Bush, 2.23 acres in Ro Santiago de Santa Ana, $700.

John M and O C Smith to Edward E Haynes, lot 4, block B, Schiller tract, $400.

S C Hubbel to A R Loomis, lots 3 and 4, Pavilion subdivision, $5.

A R Loomis to Lora A Hubbel, lots 3 and 4, Pavilion subdivision, $7000.

A R Loomis to Stephen C Hubbel, undivided ½ of lots 2, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20, Pavilion subdivision, lot 7, block 26, lot 2, block 74, lot 5, block 37, Hancock's survey, 7.74 acres of lot 2, and W ½ acres of lot 7, block 42, Canal and Reservoir lands, lot 9, block 37, and lot 6, block 42, Ord's survey, lots 6 and 7, block M, Mott tract, lot 2, block 9, City Homeseead tract, lot 16, block 6, East Los Angeles, and all interest in lands described in deed (B p 590), to lots M and N, block 166, and lot 6, block 144, Santa Monica, and all other lots in Santa Monica in which grantor has any interest, $100.

John E Plater to R F Rice, lots 39, 40, 41 and 42, Myrtell subdivision of Messick tract, $1600.

J W Gardner to T O Bryan, 4½ acres in N W corner of block L, Stafford and Tustin tract, $725.

T O'Bryan to G W Minter, 4½ acres in N W corner block L, Stafford and Tustin tract, $500.

A O Damon and C W Lyman to Nelson Ward, E 25 feet of lot 2, block 3, Wright's addition to Compton, $350.

Jotham Bixby, Lewellyn Bixby, Thomas Flint and W E Willmore to J Ripley, lots 6 and 8, block 115, Willmore City, $100.

A K McQuilling to James Ripley, part of lot 18, McQuilling's subdivision, Pasadena, $700.

Elsie E Clugston to Daniel O Millimore, W ½ of lots 2 and 11, Goodner and O'Melveny tract, $1.

M D Crawford and John G Downey to I N Cochran, part of block 24, Downey City, $35.

Edwin McCullough to Susan McCullough, W 25 feet of E 55 feet of lots 19 and 20, block 4, Beaudry tract, love.

Rosedale Cemetery Association to O S Winstunley, N ½ of lot 5; section G, Rosedale Cemetery, $67 50.

Louis Jaffrado and Francesca Abila de Jaffrado, his wife, to Thomas McLean, lot in El Monte, $125.

J D Champion to Thomas McLain, lot supposed to be in El Monte township, $10.

Clark Simons to Thomas McLain, lot 15 and tract adjoining on the E in Champion tract, $1 49.

Mary A Mayes, Edwin Mayes, Ida Mayes, Victoria Mayes and Lulu Mayes to Thomas McLain, 7 acres in El Monte township, $800.

Estate of John P McNamer, decree distributing undivided ⅛ of lots 6, 7, 8, 16, 17, 18, block 1, Hollenbeck tract, Niles' addition to Morris Vineyard tract, except lots 1 and 2, block —— and personal property, to Alice M McNamer.

Lewis A Cary to John P Humphreys, lots 7 and 17, block Z, Mott tract, $1700.

Leroy W Thompson to Henry Rickenbrig, S 3 acres of N ⅛ of lot 4, block O, San Pascual tract, $1625.

Mrs Maria Reed (nee Maria Goodwin) to J G Miller, lot 37, block J, West Los Angeles, $500.

William C Mosher and Mary S Mosher, his wife, to Mary G Banta, lot 62½x200 feet on W side of Fair Oaks avenue, Pasadena, $1.

Fred Dohs to Wm H Workman, lots 3 and 5, block 72, Hancock's survey, $1.

John E Humphreys to Jacob Hommel, 17 acres in lot 2, block 27, Bancock's survey, $3400.

HOMESTEADS.

Susan M McCullough, wife of Edwin McCullough, W 25 feet of E 55 feet of lots 19 and 20, block 4, Beaudry tract,

Margaret M Zin, wife of Samuel Zin, tract in S W ¼ section 26, township 3 S, range 12 W.

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Charles R Toms to R Williams, assignment of mortgage (bk 57, p 630), $500.

Cyrus E Ames and Olive M Walker, Marriage contract.

R W King to A E White, bill of sale of interest in patent right for improved drain pipe, etc., $500.

Jas Harvey, L M Corwin and R J Whitton, notice of location of plumbago ledge in Evy cañon.

James Harvey, John Thippin and R J Whitton, notice of location of plumbago ledge in Evy cañon.

James Harvey, R J Whitton and L M Corwin, notice of location of gold, etc., mining claim, ½ mile W of San Antonio cañon.

James Harvey, John B Thippin, R J Whitton and L M Corwin, notice of location of plumbago claim in Evy canyon.

In the matter of assignment of E Greenbaum, inventory filed.

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FOR SALE—A first-class lodging house; long established and most centrally located; 22 rooms, with good light and ventilation; low rent; rare chance. For particulars apply (after 3 p. m.) at 321 N. Main st. fe12tf

FOR SALE—Fresh cow, at No. 19 Sichel st., East Los Angeles. fe12 1w

FOR SALE—15 head cheap work horses; 1 span 4-year-old mules; 1 span Blackhawk mares, 4 and 5 years old, a fine carriage team; 1 stylish saddle horse; 3 spring wagons; 1 buckboard; 2 open buggies; 3 farm wagons; 3 sets double harness; 4 sets single harness. 97 Los Angeles st. fe12 1w

FOR SALE — Valentines at Olmsted & Wales', 19 W. First st., Widney block. ja28

FOR SALE—A neat little home in East Los Angeles, at what the lot is worth, close to school, church and street cars. Call at 302½ N. Main st. immediately, I must have cash and will sell cheap; also 2 good lots for $160 each. fe2 tf

FOR SALE—807 acres of land; no waste, all good range; water 10 feet from surface; 500 acres under cultivation; small house and barn; price, $11 an acre. BARNARD, BLACKSTOCK & SHEPHERD, San Buenaventura, Ventura county.

FOR SALE—Ten thousand pepper trees 1 year old. Inquire I. GIBBS, near Vernon schoolhouse. ja23 1m

FOR SALE—8 acres of land with small house, fruit trees and vines, one block from street cars; abundance of water; very desirable for small fruits. Price, $1500, or a 5-acre tract will be divided to suit purchasers. Terms easy. E. BRAYTON, Boyle Heights. ja24 2w

FOR SALE—On Washington street, west side of Figueroa street, cottage of six rooms, with bath and closet, hot and cold water; also ornamental grounds and fruit trees. Apply to G. F. McLELLAN, No. 8 Commercial street. ja20 tf

FOR SALE—Beautiful suburban homes in attractive locality, ½ mile from city limits; in five and ten acre tracts; covered with trees and vines. BENT & ROWAN, 33 South Spring street. ja18 tf

FOR SALE—Choice alfalfa lands in quantities to suit, from 20 acres up; four miles from Norwalk station, between Artesia and Ostrich farm. No irrigation required. BENT & ROWAN, 33 South Spring street. ja18 tf

FOR SALE—Good lots at Fulton Sulphur Wells; $200 each. Address DR. WIDNEY, Room 3, Widney Block. se11tf

FOR SALE—A lot of old newspapers, suitable for wrapping, for sale cheap. Apply TIMES counting room. jly24tf

LOST.

LOST—Amethyst ring on Main or Spring street; $2 reward for its return to PONET & ORR'S. fe15 3t

FOUND.

FOUND—A new cultivator. Owner can have it by calling at Atlantic and Pacific Transfer Co., 241 North Main st. fe7 tf

STRAYED.

STRAYED—One large dun mare, with leather halter on, and one small sorrel horse and one bay filly, both with web halters. Liberal reward for return to 132 Sansavain street. fe15-3t

MISCELLANEOUS

$500.—PARTNER WANTED—Manufacturing business; only one on the coast; pays very large profits. DAVID CARR, 302½ N. Main st.

GIVEN AWAY—100 loads very best manure for gardens and orchards given to any one who will haul it away at once. Apply first house east of cracker factory, on Aliso st. fe7 tf

MONEY TO LOAN—Apply to BENT & ROWAN, 33 South Spring street. ja8

LOAN OFFICE.

STAR LOAN & BROKERS' OFFICE
NO. 6 COMMERCIAL STREET,
advances money on, also buys and sells, all kinds of personal property, watches, jewelry, pistols, guns, etc. All transactions strictly confidential. fe27 tf

NEW TO-DAY.

MATHEWS, CASE & CO.,

(Successors to Brown & Mathews)

—DEALERS IN—

BUILDERS' HARDWARE

—AND—

Agricultural Implements,

21 AND 23 N. SPRING STREET.

HAVING BOUGHT THE ENTIRE INTEREST of the late firm of Brown & Mathews, will continue the hardware and implement business at the old stand, No. 21 and 23 North Spring street. We are closing out some lines of goods and are in a position to make low prices. New purchases at recent low figures are now arriving and on the way. By fair prices and square dealing we hope to retain our old customers and merit the good will of all who may trade with us. We offer a full line of Builders' Hardware, including the popular Chicago (Niles' patent) Locks, Mechanics' Tools, Hose, Belting, Blocks and Pulleys, Barbed Wire, Wheelbarrows, and all kinds of farmers' tools. We call special attention to our

Iron Age Cultivator,

With HORSE HOE ATTACHMENTS. It costs no more than the imitations and is much the best. Also the PEORIA STEEL PLOWS, the REMINGTON CHILLED PLOWS, the OHIO BUCKEYE MOWERS and the VICTOR HORSE RAKES. LAWN MOWERS at greatly reduced prices.

All persons indebted to the old firm of Brown & Mathews are requested to call at once and settle. fe15 tf

DR. PIERCE'S

Electro-Magnetic Belt

The Grandest Remedy ever discovered for the relief of suffering humanity. This appliance is a perfect GALVANIC BODY-BATTERY and capable of generating an electric current with or WITHOUT ACIDS. Entirely different in construction from all others. It will positively cure all diseases and weaknesses of male or female that it is possible to cure with Electricity or Magnetism. Hundreds cured. Call or address MAGNETIC ELASTIC TRUSS CO., 704 Sacramento street, San Francisco, Cal. If ruptured send for our new illustrated book on rupture. fe14 3m

"WELLINGTON COAL"

NOW DISCHARGING EX-SHIP BELVIDERE.

Consumers of this coal should send in their orders at once to the undersigned, as ship will discharge rapidly and my customers should take advantage of same, so as to get the reduced prices by getting the coal ex-ship and car without any additional charge being made for storage and shrinkage when taken from coal that is stored. Coal delivered in car-load lots only, of ten tons and over, along the line of the Southern Pacific railroad.

Guaranteed to be the cheapest, cleanest and most economical fuel for all purposes in this market. *One ton of Wellington coal will last as long and do the same work as two cords and a half of stove wood.*

For sale at all the retail coal yards in this city and county. *Walter S. Maxwell,* 10 Court street. fe15-1m

To Be Repealed.

The pre-emption and timber culture acts are liable to be repealed, as the bill has already passed the Senate and is before the House. Citizens wishing to avail themselves of an excellent opportunity of securing fine land for a home under these or other acts will do well to call on

W. P. McIntosh,

dealer in all kinds of land and city real estate. Script bought and sold. Room 15, Nadeau block. Take the elevator. Telephone communication. fe15-1m

FOR SALE

OR EXCHANGE FOR REAL ESTATE IN Los Angeles County, one restaurant of 5 rooms, one lodging house of 15 rooms, both furnished; new bringing a monthly rental of $225.

Above property situated in Calico, San Bernardino county. For further information apply to

Seymour & Johnson,

19 and 21 North Main street. fe15-2t

Advice in Astrology.

ORANGE AND TEST MEDIUM. TELLS past, present and future events. Admits ladies only. 314 Downey avenue, between Water and Hayes streets, East Los Angeles. fe15-1w.

Weather Report.

Local Bulletin.—At 4 a. m. yesterday the thermometer registered 40; at noon 60, and at 8 p. m. 51. Maximum temperature, 65; minimum, 39. Weather clear.

Signal Service Indications.—[By telegraph from Washington last night.]—For the North Pacific Coast, local rains. California, fair weather.

THE CITY.

Dots.

"Elaine" oil, at Jevne's.

Visit "The Afflicted Family."

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Try "White Fawn" flour at Jevne's.

Capadura Segars, 22 N. Spring Street.

Property for exchange. F. H. Barclay.

Ladies' cloth and leather boots 90c. Lewis.

Huckleberries in glass jars at H. Jevne's.

Visit our big corset department. J. T. Sheward.

"Big store" with the "little front"—H. Jevne's.

Misses' elegant goat button boots $1.35. Lewis.

Read the new advertisement of J. T. Sheward.

Oneida corn, at Jevne's, 38 and 40 North Spring street.

Gent's calf button boots $2. Lewis's compulsory sale.

A full line of S. C. Packing Co.'s canned fruits at H. Jevne's.

The survey for the Second-street cable railroad is in progress.

It will pay you to visit the big cyclone sale of J. T. Sheward.

Childrens shoes 50 cents. Lewis's 10 per cent. reduction sale.

Now is your time to buy your shoes. Lewis's compulsory sale.

Mrs. H. A. Francis's Juvenile Entertainment, February 19th.

Seventy-five passengers went north on the Santa Rosa yesterday.

Ladies', misses' and children's shoes at sacrificing prices. Lewis.

New Los Angeles souvenirs, only 50 cents at Stoll & Thayer's.

See our new advertisement — Grand Souvenir Sale—People's Store.

$1.10 for a pair of those Misses' dressy shoes. Lewis's compulsory sale.

Ladies' elegant kid button boots $2. Lewis's 10 per cent. reduction sale.

Ladies' elegant pebble goat boots $1.35. Lewis's 10 per cent. reduction sale.

For very fine basket-fired Japans, go to H. Jevne's, 38 and 40 North Spring.

Big bargains in our domestic stock every day this week. J. T. Sheward.

$1.25 will buy a pair of ladies' elegant calf shoes. Lewis's compulsory sale.

For short time only—misses' school shoes $75c. Lewis's compulsory sale.

For best groceries at lowest prices—H. Jevne's, 38 and 40 North Spring street.

Money to loan by John S. Calkins, room 6, Schumacher block, opposite postoffice.

Special and attractive bargains in our silk department this week. J. T. Sheward.

Unsurpassed! Our ladies' fine kid button shoes $2.50. Lewis's compulsory sale.

Our souvenirs to be given away will be displayed in our center window—People's Store.

As will be seen elsewhere, Messrs. Limbrock & Pengrift have formed a copartnership.

Don't fail to read our new advertisement — Grand Souvenir Sale — People's Store.

Dehesa and Four Crown cluster raisins at H. Jevne's, 38 and 40 North Spring street.

If you want a Jersey jacket no one can show you as large and cheap a line as J. T. Sheward.

Prof. Whyte's elocutionary entertainment in Nadeau Hall, Friday evening, was much enjoyed.

Handsome dress gloves worth from $1 up to $2.50, all at one price, 75 cents. J. T. Sheward.

They cause wonder, those ladies' elegant kid button shoes, $2. Lewis's compulsory sale.

Finest quality of Point Reyes butter received daily at H. Jevne's, 38 and 40 North Spring.

Leave your orders for the best and quickest fire extinguisher in the world. Preuss & Pironi's.

A lady or child can use the blue bottle as well as the bravest fireman. 77 and 79 N. Spring street.

Each one dollar's worth of goods entitles the purchaser to a chance in our souvenirs—People's Store.

Petaluma cream, Swiss, Edam and Norton's Pineapple cheese, at H. Jevne's, 38 and 40 North Spring street.

To-morrow, and daily during the week, Grand Souvenir Sale. Two souvenirs given away daily at People's Store.

All buildings can be saved from being burned, if you will only get the blue bottles, $15 per dozen. E. Clark, agent.

The tea-plant's tenderest leaflets, all can see,
Inspire thy fragrance, pure EOLA TEA.

There are messages at the Telegraph office, 17 Main street, for P. H. Harmon, A. F. George, Carrie Hartman, and Capt. Dyer.

The regular afternoon lecture at the University to-day will be delivered by Dr. F. A. Seymour. His subject will be "The Credulity of Skepticism."

Anyone desiring a home will do well to read Pomeroy & Mills's announcement of house and lot at a bargain in the "For Sale" column of the TIMES.

A prominent Cahuenga farmer who was in town yesterday, stated to a TIMES reporter that his section is in no need of rain. The grain is in a splendid condition.

Handsome glove boxes given away in our kid glove department. Always have your kid gloves fitted, it costs no more and you will be better pleased. J. T. Sheward.

We are opening this week over 1000 parasols in all the latest styles. Come in and see them. It is without a doubt the cheapest line of goods ever offered in this city. J. T. Sheward.

40,000 yards of new Hamburg embroideries. Handsomely matched patterns. Full and complete line of all over-embroideries. The largest stock and always the lowest prices. J. T. Sheward.

C. P. Elliott, the crank arrested for insanity on Thursday, was examined and turned loose yesterday morning. He disturbed the peace on Alameda street by haranguing the crowd, and was arrested therefor. Discharged by Justice Austin.

The British Benevolent Society received a day or two since a donation of $25 from C. O. McAllum, a resident of Newcastle-in-Tyne. The gift was sent to Mr. Mortimer with instructions to present it to the society.

We will let our house, newly painted, calcimined and furnished, with water free, to a responsible tenant for $18 a month, water included. The house is only a few steps from the street-cars. Address or call on M. Welsh, Southern California Packing Company, across the river.

Passenger Movements.

TO ARRIVE BY RAIL.

By Telegraph to The Times.

MERCED, Feb. 14.—The following passengers, bound for Los Angeles, passed here this evening:

J Fultz, L Ray, F L Delano, Los Angeles; Mrs W F Mason, A L Mason, Indianapolis; J Short and Smith, W H Stombs Los Angeles; B W Green, H Emens, San Francisco.

DIED.

JOHNSON—In this city, February 13th, 1885, Richard T. Johnson, aged sixty-one years, a native of Tennessee. Funeral today, at 2 p. m., from the undertaking parlors of Albert Brown, No. 234 North Main street. Friends invited.

DYNAMITE AND DYNAMIGHT'NT.

Discovery of a Mysterious Package Which no one Pined to Chop Open.

A gentleman living on Buena Vista street, dropped into the TIMES office Friday, with an air of mystery and a package of ditto. In rambling about his garden, the afternoon before, he had picked up a curious object under the trees, whither it had been recently thrown by some unknown party. It looked queer, it felt queer, it *was* queer, and he didn't know what to make of it. After various investigations it suddenly occurred to him that this might be dynamite, and he generously brought it down to let a TIMES investigator have the fun of finding out. The object was a ball an inch and a half in diameter, tied very neatly with a string which marked it off in quarters. There was no wrapping, and the subslance was "something that no fellah can find out." It had neither taste nor smell, but was heavy as boxwood, and about the color of cork. It was not wood—at least, not any wood ever seen in this country—yet was evidently a vegetable product, appearing more like a coarse wood-pulp, remarkably compressed, than anything else. It was extremely tough and hard, and could be whittled only with the greatest difficulty. The Lord only knows what its composition is, and He hasn't told anyone to deponent's knowledge.

Now it is strange how ugly the simple whispered word "dynamite" will make an innocent piece of wood look. The reporter placed the strange ball gingerly in his coat-tail pocket—where any kicker would get the full benefit—and sallied out to investigate. His first call was at the police station, where he found Chief McCarthy.

"Mr. Chief, I believe you're looking for dynamite conspirators. Now this little cartridge of dyna—"

"Say, is that thing dynamite? Take it right away from here, or I'll club you. G' way!"

The pencil fiend fled to the protection of Capt. Gowen, and requested that gentleman to "take care of a little package a minute."

"What is that thing?" (looking cautiously at the peculiar ball.)

"Well, I donno what it is, but they think it's dynamite."

"Dynamite? Young feller, you'd better not be monkeying around with that. It might go off—yes, it might go off here! Clear out of here this minute!"

Then the reporter, who was getting interested, dropped in to call on Colonel Hewitt, at the depot. The Colonel looked so prosperous and so beaming that the dynamiter looked confidently for his help in digging out the heart of the mystery.

"Are you an expert in dynamite, Colonel?" A gentleman found this specimen thrown over into his yard, last night, and I'm trying to find someone to hold it while I chop it open."

"Dynamite? Dynamite! Young man, I've business right inside here, now, at once. No, you needn't come in—I don't want to associate with you at all." And his capacious form vanished.

The pencileer then hied him to a retired spot and slammed the Thing up against a pile of rails at long range. Finding that the universe wasn't inconsistently gutted, he picked up courage and the ball and pitched it again. Still no earth-dissolving bust. It evidently wasn't dynamite, then, but what it was was no plainer. It finally cracked to the heart, showing the same strange texture throughout. By a last unlucky shot, the What-is-it missed the rail pile about ten feet, and was lost to science in a distant pile of leaves.

The Woman's Club.

There was a very large attendance at the meeting of the Woman's Club yesterday afternoon, Pythian Hall being crowded. Mrs. Severance presided. The Committee on Education, consisting of Mrs. H. H. Boyce, Mrs. Judge Widney and Miss Collier, had charge of the meeting, the subject under consideration being "Kindergartens." Miss Clark and Miss Mackey read papers on that subject, each paper being followed by an animated discussion of its merits.

Mrs. Crawford, of London, addressed the club on the subject of the "Suffrage Movement in England," and was listened to with deep interest. The club meets again next Saturday at 3 o'clock, when the Committee on Art will have charge, and the special topic under consideration will be Michael Angelo.

A Souvenir Sale.

The People's Store, the live and most successful business establishment in this city, is ever presenting something new and novel in their line. To-morrow they commence a souvenir sale, presenting to their patrons handsome gifts. They give a ticket for each $1 worth of merchandise purchased, which entitles the holder to a chance or chances in the souvenirs to be presented. At the close of business they ascertain the winning number and advertise it in the following morning in the daily papers. We have no doubt they will score another of their wonderful successes.

Valentine Social.

The Valentine social of the Knights of Labor, 2405, at Opera House Hall, last evening, was a pleasant affair. The prefatory entertainment included an instrumental solo by Mrs. Castillo; songs by Mrs. Stansbury, Miss Holden and Madame Marra; trio by Madame Marra and the Misses Wiseman, and a reading by Joseph Tilley. Prof. White and Mrs. McCullough, who were to have appeared, were both indisposed. A small sum was cleared above expenses.

Incorporated.

Articles of incorporation have been filed by the Southern California Fire and Marine Insurance Company. The purpose is to transact a general fire and marine insurance business. The capital stock is $200,000, all of which has been subscribed. The following are the directors: H. C. Sigler, John G. Downey, Isaac Fellows, John Lawshe, N. Vanderlip, P. M. Green, W. H. Perry, John Bryson, Sr., E. F. Spence, L. W. Dennis, F. C. Howes. The principal office will be in this city.

Runaway Yesterday.

The horse of Mr. Little, of the Harper, Reynolds Co., took an unaccountable panic yesterday and ran up Main street to Market street, where the buggy was upset and slightly damaged. The horse climbed the steps of the Courthouse and made for the County Tax Collector's office at a pace which indicated that he realized his taxes were delinquent and unpaid. At the door he was stopped and removed to the street. His legs were severely cut, but the injury is not serious.

Troubadours.

To those that are under the impression that the performance of Hamden & Bailey's Troubadours resembles those given by the Tennessee and Nashville Jubilee Singers, it is stated that they are in no way alike. The Troubadours' performance at the Opera House on Monday evening will consist of a rustic first part, an olio of songs, dances, banjo playing, stump speeches, etc., concluding with a laughable farce.

Turnverein Germania

Held its thirteenth annual masquerade ball at its hall, last night. It was probably a success; but definite information was choked off by the able idiot at the door, who insisted that "the whole affair had been written up," and refused to admit the TIMES reporter.

Iron-Sulphur Springs.

Opening social, Tuesday evening, Feb. 17th. Hop in the new building, supper at the hotel. Col. R. M. Baker, Col. Sanford and W. N. Monroe, managers. Tickets, $1 each; for sale by Chas. Laux and Preuss & Pironi, druggists, also by Widney Bros., Main street.

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Lots in the Childs tract, in the midst of fine improvements, $600 each, in payments of $25 per month, without interest.

INCENDIARISM.

An Attempt to Burn Down the Agricultural Park Hotel.

An incendiary attempt was made night before last to burn down the hotel at Agricultural Park. An armful of kindling wood was placed on a slanting roof underneath a room in the second story, and to this was added a quantity of straw, such as is taken from Champagne bottles. The whole pile was then saturated with coal oil, and the attempt to burn down the building would undoubtedly have been successful had it not been for the watchfulness of one of the hostlers about the place. He had been disturbed by the coughing of a sick horse, and rising, went out to give some medicine to the animal. Glancing in the direction of the hotel he saw a bright light flash out from under the window, and a minute later the flame burst forth. He gave the alarm and in a few minutes other employees came to his aid, and with buckets of water the fire was quickly put out. There was evidently a motive for this incendiary attempt, which the detectives, who are working up the case, think they have discovered.

Heart Disease.

An inquest was held by Coroner McFarland yesterday morning at 9 o'clock upon the body of Richard T. Johnson. W. H. Thomas, H. Cohn, S. T. Brown, W. J. Rowe, Walter S. Jackson and F. H. Angell acted as jurors, and found that deceased came to his death by reason of heart disease. He was 57 years old, and a native of Tennessee.

Shipping News.

The ship Belvedere arrived to-day at San Pedro, 24 days from Departure Bay, B. C., with a cargo of two thousand tons of Wellington coal consigned to Walter S. Maxwell.

The vessel reports having had a very rough passage, encountering a rough sea and contrary winds during the entire voyage.

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Going Rapidly.

Nine names were received yesterday to the subscription list of the Childs tract lots, at the agency.

Don't Delay.

Names for the Childs tract lots will be received, also, at the office of O. W. Childs, No. 1 Opera Building, Main st.

RELIGIOUS INTELLIGENCE.

Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, corner of First and Hewitt streets, E. W. Van Deventer, pastor; Sabbath services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. G. Wiley Wells, superintendent. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

At the Christian Church, Temple street near Fort, morning services at 10 o'clock; evening, 7 o'clock. Young people's meeting at 6 p. m. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Seats free. All are most cordially invited. Prof. W. H. Martin, of Woodland, will preach. Morning topic, "The consequences of Neglecting the terms of Salvation." Evening topic, "The Necessity of the Church of Christ."

Church of the Unity, Bryson Hall, next block south of the Nadeau. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. by Prof. Allen, of Harvard University. Morning subject, "Moth and Rust." Evening subject, "Solomon's Dream of Life."

Railroad Chapel, corner Railroad and Chavez streets. Preaching by Rev. W. H. Ramsey every Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath-school at 3:30 p. m. Sabbath-school preparation class every Friday evening at 7:30. All are cordially invited to attend.

An extensive revival of religion is in progress at the Asbury Methodist Church, East Los Angeles. The meetings are daily increasing in interest and will be continued during the week. Preaching service each evening at 7:30. Sermon today as usual.

Trinity M. E. Church South, between Fifth and Sixth streets, on Fort. Sunday-school at 9 a. m. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. W. B. Stradley, at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Special services every evening this week, beginning at 7 p. m. Subject this morning. "The Valley of Dry Bones." Strangers are cordially invited. Seats free.

First Congregational Church, corner Hill and Third streets, Rev. A. J. Wells, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

First Baptist Church, corner of Fort and Sixth streets.—Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.; preaching by the pastor. Seats free. All, especially strangers, invited. The ordinance of baptism will be administered.

REGULATIONS OF LENT AND OTHER FASTING DAYS FOR THE YEAR 1885, IN THE DIOCESE OF MONTEREY AND LOS ANGELES.

1. All the faithful, who have completed their twenty-first year, are obliged to observe the law of fast from Ash Wednesday to Holy Saturday inclusive, Sundays excepted, on the Ember days, and on the Vigils of the Feasts of Pentecost, of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, of All Saints, and the Nativity of our Lord, unless on account of sickness, old age or hard labor, they may be dispensed, as really the church does not intend to oblige to observe the fast, either them or women pregnant or nursing.

2. Fast consists in taking only one meal during the twenty-four hours of the day, which is usually taken at about twelve o'clock, nor can it be much anticipated from noon, and in abstaining from flesh meat, eggs and milk in any form.

3. By virtue of faculties received from the Holy Father, we allow: first, the use of flesh meat, but only at the principle refection or dinner, on all days during Lent, except Wednesdays and Fridays, Saturday on Ember days, the last four days of Holy Week, and the Vigils of the Feasts of St. Joseph and of the Annunciation; second, the use of eggs and milk in any form at the principal refection or dinner, on all fast days, whether in or out of Lent, except only on Good Friday; third, the use of lard to condiment the food, with the exception, also, of Good Friday.

4. On fast days a cup of thin chocolate, tea or coffee, with a little milk and morsel of bread, is permited in the morning.

5. At night a light collation is allowed, which, however, must not exceed one-fourth of a regular supper, nor can it be of substantial food, such as flesh meat, eggs, milk, or even fish. We permit the use of butter or cheese in a small quantity—of milk to season the tea or coffee, and also of small fish such as sardines.

6. It is not lawful to use flesh meat and fish in the same meal during Lent, even on Sundays when there is no restriction at any of the meals with regard to flesh meat.

7. Persons who are not bound to fast or are dispensed with by reason of hard labor, old age, etc., or because being under twenty-one years are not dispensed with the duty of abstaining from flesh meat, out of the days in which it is allowed by dispensation, unless it be for reason of infirmity or delicate constitution; but there is no restriction for them wit regard to the use of eggs and milk, or things made of or prepared with them.

8. Persons who entertain any doubt whether they are or are not obliged to fast or to abstain from flesh meat, for the security of their conscience, ought to consult their respective pastors, who, finding sufficient reason, are authorized to dispense them during the existence of the cause.

9. Children seven years old are obliged to the precepts of abstaining from flesh meat, and of going to confession at least once in the year, to which we call the attention of parents.

10. On the days in which the faithful use the privilege of eating meat, they are recommended to say some prayers at their option; and young men and young women under twenty-one years are exhorted to fast at least on Fridays during Lent, both in order to accustom themselves to fast, and to honor the fast of our divine Savior.

Lent being a season especially set aside for fasting, mortification, prayer and the practice of good works, we earnestly exhort our beloved children in Christ to remember their brethren, the poor; to keep away from amusements, which are contrary to the spirit of the church; to attend at the devotions, and to hear the word of God, which will be addressed to them more frequently during this acceptable time, during these days of salvation. Thus they will celebrate Lent in a Christian manner, and will obtain mercy and blessings from the Almighty.

We therefore earnestly recommend, and, as far as it is in our power, command the rectors of our churches to celebrate the Holy sacrifice every day, at a time suitable to the people; to have the devotions of the Way of the Cross on Fridays and the Rosary every day. Besides Sundays and Holy days, benediction can be given every Wednesday, or every Tuesday and Thursday, if there is a good attendance, as we hope there will be.

Let the Rev. Priests profit by this occasion to explain to the faithful the mysteries of our holy religion, and to prepare them for the discharge of the Easter duties, for the first communion and confirmation which, with God's help, will be administered after Easter.

These regulations will be read at Mass in all the churches on the Sunday of Quinquagesima, and as soon as possible in all the chapels and stations.

Given from our residence, Los Angeles, the 4th day of February, 1885.

† FRANCIS MORA,
Bishop of Monterey and Los Angeles.

P. S.—The Rev. Rectors will please announce the collection for the orphan boys, to be taken up Sunday after Easter, and to forward it to Rev. Francis Cedina, Watsonville.

PERSONALS.

Sheriff Gard is in San Bernardino, on business bent.

J. W. Lee and wife, of Minneapolis, are stopping at the Plaza House.

Mrs. J. G. Bower leaves for the New Orleans Exposition next week.

Mr. Churchill, a wealthy Nevada miner, is in town looking for a home.

J. W. Thompson, agent for Wells, Fargo & Co. at San Diego, is in town.

W. G. Halstead, A. Eisen and C. Roos, of San Pedro, came to town yesterday.

E. R. Humphreys and his bride left yesterday on the Santa Rosa for San Francisco.

O. Stiner, F. M. Gilham and L. G. English, all from San Francisco, are at the St. Elmo.

A. Lindenfeld and J. Kuhrts left for the north yesterday to take in the meeting of the Turnverein.

A. Bennett, of the Central Pacific Railroad, accompanied by his wife, is tarrying at the St. Charles.

Mrs. W. H. Perry, Mrs. Chas. W. Davis and Mrs. A. L. Espey left for a visit to San Francisco yesterday.

Mr. A. Penney has removed his family from Santa Ana to this city, and may be counted among our permanent citizens.

T. McClintock and wife, Pittsburg, J. F. Ely and wife, Cedar Rapids, Ia., and S. B. Lashbrook, Kansas City, registered at the St. Elmo yesterday.

M. L. Trowbridge and Lincoln Trowbridge, Milwaukee; F. R. Mew